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# BOWDOIN ORIENT

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## TRINITY GAME CANCELLED

The game scheduled with Trinity for tomorrow has been cancelled because the Connecticut team has had insufficient practice. Manager McConaughy received a telegram Saturday saying that the baseball grounds at Trinity had been in such a condition that there had been no chance to practice and asking that the game be called off. On account of the cancelling of this game Bowdoin will play Harvard Wednesday instead of today.

## PUBLISHING COMPANY ELECTS

Percy F. Crane '17 was elected business manager of the Bowdoin Publishing Company just before vacation. The new assistant managers are A. Otis Moulton '18 and Gerald S. Joyce '18. The question of changing the ORIENT to newspaper form was brought up before the board and discussed at length, and it was decided to retain the present magazine form.

## BOWDOIN FENCERS ELIMINATED

In the preliminary trials of the intercollegiate fencing association, at Cambridge last Saturday evening, Bowdoin was defeated by both Yale and Harvard. The totals were Harvard 9-Bowdoin 0; Harvard 6-Yale 3; Yale 7-Bowdoin 2; total points—Harvard 15, Yale 10, Bowdoin 2. Hargraves '16 and Hanson '18 won the points for Bowdoin. J. E. Gray '18 and Mooers '18 also fenced for Bowdoin.

## BASEBALL PROSPECTS

Our baseball season commences tomorrow with four out of the state games—Harvard, Wesleyan, Dartmouth and Amherst. Only one member of last year's team was lost by graduation, and there are nine letter men on the squad. The class games last fall revealed considerable talent in the freshman class, so that our prospects for the coming season are good. We have a coach who turned out a championship team last year. The team last year had the habit of going to pieces in a single inning and giving their opponents a long lead. They could play ball at times, but there was scarcely a game in the Maine series which did not have its fatal inning. This year's team will be made up of more exper-

enced men, and the danger of such an occurrence is lessened.

The team has been quite definitely decided upon, and there will be a number of new men to make the trip. Last year the brunt of the pitching fell upon two men, Fraser and Stanley. This year there will be some freshmen pitchers in Butterfield, White and Savage. Bradford will catch again this season. In the infield, Captain McElwee will play first, Larrabee '16 will be at second, Finn '19 at shortstop, and Donnell '18 at third base. The outfielders to make the trip are Phillips '17, Goodskey '16 and Chapman '17 in left, center and right field respectively. The additional number of pitchers will be an advantage on a trip such as that of this week.

## THE UNION FOR DANCES

At a meeting of the Governing Board of the Bowdoin Union held Wednesday evening March 22nd, it was voted to allow the Kappa Sigma fraternity to use the Union for its house party on May 5th. The Governing Board feels that this is putting the Union to a good use and establishing it more firmly as a college institution. For the benefit of others in college who may want to use the Union for social purposes, the Board wishes to state that the price has been fixed at a very reasonable rate, being not high enough to exclude anyone who really wants it, and yet debarring thoughtless use.

The Union was open evenings during the vacation. If the Board decides that the demand is sufficient, this will be the practice in the future.

## TRACK MEN CONFIDENT

About thirty track men attended the meeting of the Track Club in the Union last Friday evening. Manager Marston presided and the meeting opened with short speeches by representative track men, Moulton '16, Savage '18, Sampson '17, Hall '16, Webber '16, Simonton '18, and Ireland '16. Coach J. J. Magee followed as the principal speaker.

Strict training for track men was inaugurated Monday and the coach, manager, captain, and squad are all working together to turn out a championship team for Maine Intercollegiate Meet to be held at Brunswick, May 13.

## SECOND COLLEGE TEA IN UNION

The second college tea held in the new Union took place last Friday afternoon. The opportunity for informal dancing during the latter part of the afternoon was much appreciated by the many present. In the receiving line were: Mrs. Henry Johnson, Mrs. F. E. Woodruff, Mrs. Charles C. Hutchins, Mrs. Frank N. Whittier and Mrs. Roscoe J. Ham.

At the coffee table were Mrs. Manton Copeland, Mrs. Lee D. McClean, Mrs. Forsaith, Miss Helen Snow, Miss Miriam Andrews, Miss Mabel Davis and Miss Bibber. Mrs. Charles T. Burnett and Mrs. Gerald G. Wilder poured tea assisted by Miss Torrey and Miss Whittier. Mrs. Rhys D. Evans and Mrs. W. E. Milne presided at the punch bowl while Miss Beatrice Hacker, Miss Ruth Lowell, Miss Small and Miss Ruth Blackwell assisted.

The ushers were: Alpha Delta Phi, Woodman '16; Psi Upsilon, Schlossberg '18; Delta Kappa Epsilon, Sturgis '19; Theta Delta Chi, Biggers '17; Zeta Psi, Achorn '17; Delta Upsilon, Ramsdell '17; Kappa Sigma, Hildreth '18; Beta Theta Pi, Humphrey '17; Beta Chi, Chase '18; Phi Theta Upsilon, Webber '17.

Grant of Lewiston catered.

## BOWDOIN DEBATERS WIN AND LOSE

The Bowdoin negative debating team defeated the Wesleyan affirmative team by a unanimous decision of the judges on the subject: Resolved, that ex-Secretary Garrison's plan for military reorganization be adopted. The debate was held in the Bowdoin Union Thursday evening, March 23. The principal arguments of the affirmative, were: First, that war is imminent; second, that the Garrison plan is adequate and well-rounded, and lastly, that it is the only possible plan; whereas the Bowdoin speakers showed that ex-Secretary Garrison's plan is impracticable, inadequate, and inexpedient. The speakers for the negative were as follows: Bowdoin '17, Moran '17, and Coburn '19 alternate.

President William DeWitt Hyde was the presiding officer.

The judges were Hon. Wilford G. Chapman, Portland, Maine, Professor J. Murray Carroll, Bates College, and Principal William B. Jack, Portland, Maine.

After the debate, apples and smokes were enjoyed by the audience and speakers.

## AFFIRMATIVE LOSES AT HAMILTON

While the team at home was successfully defending the negative of the "Garrison Plan"

question, the other Bowdoin debating trio clashed with Hamilton at Clinton and lost by a decision of two to one. In this debate Bowdoin upheld the affirmative.

The Bowdoin team argued that the plan should have been adopted because there is no need of a large standing army; that the army should be under Federal control; that we must prepare for the future to uphold our position among nations.

Hamilton argued that the plan was not efficient; that it is impossible to train men in so short a time; that the number of men could not be obtained from the student bodies and that business man could not go. The entire debate hinged around the question of efficiency, and, as the *Utica Daily Press* put it, "While Bowdoin debaters showed excellent ability and knowledge of their side of the question they were handicapped by reason of the failure of the plan and the subsequent resignation of Secretary Garrison, which fact caused public opinion to be against his plan."

The following men composed the Bowdoin team: Hescok '16, Chapman '17, Jacob '18, and Churchill '16, alternate.

## MANAGERS DISCUSS BLANKET TAX

The Board of Managers held an important meeting last Wednesday noon at which certain matters regarding the Blanket Tax were discussed. In the first place, the Board recorded the number of men now engaged in athletics here, who have not paid their Blanket Tax. It developed that this number was surprisingly large. There is a ruling that such men shall be prohibited from entering these sports unless they have either paid their tax or arranged for an extension. In the past this rule has not been very strictly kept, but Chairman Garland of the Board says that in the future this matter will have to be insisted upon, and if a man fails to pay his tax he cannot enter Bowdoin sports. The managers and captains of the various teams have been notified who these delinquents are, and steps will be taken this week to get them to pay.

The Board feels very strongly with regard to the Blanket Tax. It believes that the liberal allowance of extensions on payment without withholding the privileges of the association is not properly appreciated when fully twenty per cent. of the students do not pay. Even then, some who have been granted extensions have not paid them when due. These the Board would remind that there is another ruling which prevents their ever joining the A.S.B.C. until this first extension is paid.

## MINOT '96 SPEAKS ON JOURNALISM

John Clair Minot, '96, associate editor of *The Youth's Companion*, gave an interesting talk on "Opportunities in Journalism" in the Union, Wednesday evening, March 21, under the auspices of the Christian Association. Mr. Minot began by citing some figures showing how many men of Bowdoin have gone into journalism compared with other fields of work for the first one hundred years of its existence. The figures show that the college produced very few journalists during the first fifty years, but since then, and during the last quarter century in particular, Bowdoin has sent many men into newspaper work, and many of them have reached the very top of their profession.

Speaking of the ways of entering the newspaper field, Mr. Minot said that one of the best roads was by way of the country or small city newspaper. The advantages were obviously less competition and a greater insight of the paper as a whole. Regarding the chance of advancement in journalism, the speaker observed that while the specially talented can always do best by remaining in the game, a very large percentage of newspaper men go into other branches of work. There are often opportunities in other fields, for the newspaper man's training is an asset everywhere. Mr. Minot concluded his talk with a delineation of the five essential qualities of a newspaper man. They are these: ability to write good, clear, forcible English; the power of keen observation that passes by no minute detail; a good all-around education; the capacity for the hardest and most exacting work; and lastly, loyalty to the paper. A man with these qualities will make a good journalist; and he can't get along without any one of them.

This was the last of the series of lectures given by the Christian Association in the Union.

## MILITARY STATISTICS

The results obtained from the answers to the questions on the Rifle Club papers which were recently issued among the student body have just been announced by Professor Langley, 234 replies have been received while fifty more are expected. Regarding the first four questions which concerned previous military instruction and the rank attained, cadet or any organized drilling without arms for only one year in high school was not credited as military training.

It was found that eight men had had university training, militia work or coast artillery training for one year, nine men for two years, ten men for three years, thirteen men for four

years, two men for five years, and one man each for six and seven years, making a total of 44 who have had military training to some extent. 190 students have had no military training. The ranks attained were:—Private, 14 men; musician, 1; corporal, 6; hospital sergeant, 1; sergeant major, 2; lieutenant, 5; captain, 4; adjutant, 1; major, 1.

Concerning enlistment in a volunteer company supplemented if possible by work at Fort McKinley or Augusta, 162 men declared their willingness to enlist, while 24 were doubtful.

In regard to attendance at Plattsburg this summer, 34 students expressed the hope of taking up the work there regardless of any additional incentive in the way of payment, of transportation expenses or college credit. 27 "would consider." 40 men are hopeful if transportation is provided free, while 37 "would consider." 49 hope to go if their attendance counts toward a college degree, and 29 are doubtful. In all three cases, the remaining number are absolutely negative.

## Y. M. C. A. ELECTIONS

The Christian Association held its annual elections Wednesday afternoon, March 22, with the following results:

President, L. H. Marston '17  
Vice-president, N. U. McConaughy '17  
Treasurer, F. D. MacCormick '18  
Corresponding Secretary, B. W. Norton '18  
Recording Secretary, D. S. Higgins '19.

## CLASSICAL CLUB LECTURE

Professor William Scott Ferguson of the Department of Ancient History at Harvard University gave an interesting lecture last evening before the Classical Club in the Union. His subject was "Greece, Past and Present," and dealt largely with economic contrasts.

## AMOS B. HAGGETT

The college was saddened last week by the death of Amos B. Haggett '16. His body was found at New Meadows Thursday afternoon with a bullet wound in the head. Suicide was the coroner's verdict. The funeral was held in Bath Sunday afternoon.

## SPRING TRACK WORK

Spring track work has begun in earnest since the vacation. The men are now working out every afternoon on the Delta and are progressing satisfactorily under the direction of Coach Magee. A large and enthusiastic squad are out.



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## Foreword

Once again the time has come for a change in the editorial board of the ORIENT. Those who have in large part determined its policy and service the past year have completed their work and have passed on their tasks and their opportunities to ones less experienced. We ask for patience and aid of our critics if we falter at first. We ask for suggestions and criticisms at all times. We will welcome increased use of our columns for communications and contributions from students, alumni, faculty, or other friends. We earnestly appeal to the student body for greater participation by all in the work of the ORIENT, enabling it to fulfill with greater success its functions in the college world.

We plan no essential change in the policy of

the paper. We shall follow the example of our immediate predecessors and confine our editorial columns to matters relating to the college or closely connected with it, leaving to our more ambitious contemporaries the broader fields. The province of a weekly publication, as we see it, is more one of permanent record and constructive service than of sensational news-giving or featurizing of trivial matters. In the words of the retiring editor, "We shall stand for what we think are the best interests of the College, and shall oppose any movement which we think detrimental to those interests, just as we shall favor any movements which advance them."

With this foreword to the forty-sixth volume, the new Board enters upon its duties with the desire to carry on successfully the work of this paper and to aid in the improvement and development of Bowdoin.

## To the Non-Fraternity Men

This evening a meeting will be held of those interested in the continued existence of the Bowdoin Club. Some have considered the Bowdoin Club, as conducted the last four years, a failure, the principal reason given being the formation of two local fraternities from its numbers. This does not seem to us however a sufficient indication of failure. The fact that a portion or all of the members at a specified time preferred an organization with a Greek letter name and a degree of exclusiveness to a club open to all, far from proves the worthlessness of the club. The arguments brought forward four years ago for the formation of the club now apply to its continuation.

Bowdoin is essentially a group college, but there are, at the present time, approximately fifty men without fraternity connections, and the incoming freshman class may be expected to add to their numbers. These men, if left to themselves, are missing and will miss much of what makes life at Bowdoin a companionable, homelike remembrance in the years after graduation. What inducement is there to such a man to return to college at intervals if he has no definite place on which he has claims for lodging, and no group of men more closely associated than an entire class can be, to welcome him and make him feel at home? The advantages of such a club as the Bowdoin Club has been and can be in the future are not as great as those of the fraternities but they have the same essential characteristics differing only in degree, not in kind.

Some, ignorant of the facts, fear membership in such a club may prejudice their chances of a later offer from a fraternity. We can see no way

in which a semester's or a year's association with a group of other college men can make any man inferior in the eyes of the fraternities to one who has divided his time between his room and the lunch counters downtown. To the freshman coming to college without knowing any upper classmen and lacking any great athletic fame a house at which he can immediately secure board and meet older students is a great boon.

To assure the revival of the Bowdoin Club next fall a nucleus of over twenty men is necessary. The faculty is behind the movement and stands ready to support it if reasonable interest is shown. This meeting tonight is the critical time in the history of the Bowdoin Club. It is to be hoped that the non-fraternity men will feel interested to attend and assure to it a successful and useful future.

### RESOLUTIONS

KAPPA CHAPTER OF PSI UPSILON

March 19, 1916.

It was with the deepest regret that we learned of the death of Brother Aaron Winchenbach Hyler.

A former member of the class of 1915, he was known well by many of us while in college as one faithful and true, ever glad for an opportunity to be of service to those about him and always doing his best in whatever he undertook.

Although obliged by ill health, as a result of overwork, to leave college in his junior year, his interest in the college and his loyalty and devotion to the fraternity were not diminished.

In his death we suffer a distinct loss.

EDWARD CARY HAWES,

DAVID FRANCIS KELLEY,

NORMAN HUNT NICKERSON.

*For the Chapter.*

### AMOS BARTLETT HAGGETT

Very often we know nothing of the real inner life of our most intimate friends. Beneath an impassive and genial exterior, anguish and tragedy may be secretly at work. The death of Amos Bartlett Haggett of the class of 1916, has filled us all with this solemn and humanizing feeling. We had grown to love him for the noble and sincere qualities which were his. For four years he had been to us who knew him, a genuine friend. His character was ennobled by an unusual integrity and honesty and was distinguished by a steadfast morality and unselfishness. In all his relations with his associates and friends he was at all times simple, direct and eminently sincere—making always considerations of self

subserve more generous social ends. We remember gratefully and proudly the conscientious thoroughness with which he fulfilled all the duties and obligations which were entrusted to him. We remember with regret and pain our joy in his daily companionship—for his was a nature capable of deep and true friendship. He was sensitive and retiring and it was always his way to meet the trials and sorrows of life with self-sufficient calmness. His unselfishness forbade him to confide in others his own troubles and sorrows. So it is that his awful death gives evidence of a directness, courage and steadfastness which in happier days had caused us to love and admire him. His unselfishness would not permit him to intrude his own trials upon those who would have been so willing to sympathize with him and aid him. At this time of bereavement it is impossible for us to do more than to express inadequately but sincerely, the grief which his death has brought to us. He is gone but there is left to us who knew him the memory of a large generous nature, the noble regret for a friend and companion whom we loved and admired.

BOWDOIN CHAPTER OF THE ALPHA DELTA PHI.

### Y. M. C. A. NOTES

At a cabinet meeting of the Y. M. C. A. last Friday evening, April 7, the report was read covering the year's work. The following recommendation was presented: namely, that a committee of three be appointed to formulate a new basis of membership to differentiate if possible between men who would be merely nominal members and actually active ones.

A committee of three was appointed to choose next year's cabinet.

It was voted:

To send a delegate to the Presidents Conference to be held at Dartmouth on April 17, 18 and 19.

To establish an employment committee to find opportunities for work and to attend to a fair distribution of it among the needy students.

To have an information bureau made up of one man from each fraternity with headquarters at the Union to be on duty during the two days preceding the opening of classes in the fall to assist men who are not already provided for in finding rooms or in arranging schedule of courses, etc.

To replace the present plans for freshman discussion groups by establishment of freshman Bible study classes in the various churches.

Between now and the end of the term, the work is rather quiet with the exception of a few deputations.

## With the Faculty

President Hyde's new book "The Gospel of Good Will," has just been published by The Macmillan Company.

Dr. Whittier was recently appointed Inspector of Milk by the Brunswick Board of Selectmen.

Professors Woodruff and Nixon attended the meeting of the New England Classical Association at Providence, R. I., last Friday and Saturday.

At a recent meeting of the Brunswick Chamber of Commerce Professor Files was appointed to the Good Roads Committee of the State organization.

Professor Davis attended and spoke at the annual session of the New England Oral English and Public Speaking Conference last week at Harvard.

## On the Campus

Freshman caps again.

The college Finance Committee met last Friday.

The spring warnings are out in their usual abundance.

Jacob '18 has been called home by the death of his father.

Delta Upsilon will hold its house party on Friday, May 12.

Pierce '18 played the chapel organ one morning last week.

The Sophomores will hold their class banquet Monday evening, May 29.

Dissection has begun at the Medical Building and will continue until June.

Recipients of scholarships are requested to sign now for the second semester scholarship.

The new baseball caps are white instead of black this year, and less resemble the freshman caps.

Candidates for the assistant manager of the Calendar are asked to report to Sampson '17 at the Beta house.

Howard D. Briggs and Anthony W. Robinson of the Grand Chapter of Zeta Psi visited the Lambda Sunday.

The Curator of the Art Building reports increased interest on the part of the students in our art collection.

Candidates for Assistant Manager of the Bowdoin publishing Company should hand in their names to Crane '17 at the Delta U. House.

The first meet of the season is the dual meet with Bates held here April 22nd. This is followed by the dual meet with M. I. T. on May 5th.

At present there are four freshman candidates

in the field for the position of assistant baseball manager. They are Angus, Burleigh, Cole and Fay.

The students turned out in good numbers to see the Brunswick Fire Department perform at the Harpswell St. fire Thursday, and assisted in saving furniture.

A change has been made in the hours during which the Walker Art Building is open. Hereafter it will be open from 10 to 12 A. M. and from 2 to 4 P. M.

Professor William W. Lawrence '98 of Columbia University has been appointed to represent the college at the inauguration of the new president of Adelphi College.

There is an opening for a young man in the efficiency and time study department of a shoe manufacturing concern in Auburn. Anyone interested may apply to the Dean.

The Class of '96 is planning to hold its twentieth reunion at Commencement, and J. C. Minot, the class secretary, was making arrangements for a class headquarters just before vacation.

Among those *on the campus* recently were Hon. W. L. Putnam '55, Edward Stanwood '61, F. O. Conant '80, M. L. Kimball '87, C. W. Sewall '97, J. A. Hamlin '00, D. F. Atherton '01, L. A. Cousens '02, H. L. Bryant '12 and J. Schwey '14.

A short business meeting of the Gibbons Club was held last Friday evening. It was voted to have the annual banquet on Monday evening, April 24, and a committee composed of Hart '16, Phillips '17 and J. C. Doherty '19 was appointed to make the necessary arrangements. April 17 was decided upon as the date of the next meeting.

The baseball season was opened on the Delta last Saturday afternoon, when the Kappa Sig's defeated the Delta U's, 11 to 2. The score:—

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KAPPA SIG'S	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—11
DELTA U'S	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—2

Batteries: Hight '16 and Robinson '19; Greeley '17 and Babcock '17. Umpire, Marston '17.

## The Other Colleges

The Ieland Stanford Glee Club, which formerly made a trip to Honolulu, and which is well known in the West is now planning a trip to Panama.

The University of North Dakota has introduced a course in playwriting.

An elementary course in Hieroglyphics is now being offered in the University of Pennsylvania, under the auspices of the Graduate School.

At a special meeting of the faculty of George Washington University it was voted to reinstate intercollegiate football as one of the sports of the university, under certain conditions. It was decided not to enforce the compulsory athletic fee, as is done in the majority of universities, but to adopt a voluntary fee system which would include season tickets to all the games.

After lacking but one point in a possible 1000 in the first match of the national intercollegiate championship series and falling but two points short of the possible in the second shoot, the Washington State College rifle team braced and in the last three matches scored perfect results. The matches were held with the teams from the University of West Virginia, Cornell and the Annapolis Naval Academy.

The Massachusetts Agricultural College and the Michigan Agricultural College have both been shooting perfect scores also and it is feared that the matches will result in a tie.

Recently a professor at Massachusetts Agricultural College gave a lecture before the French Society on "The Use of Language in Final Examinations." The lecture was directed especially to freshmen.

President Lowell of Harvard has outlined the course in military training that the University is to inaugurate. The course is to contain 24 lectures and six tactical talks. Major General Leonard Wood will open the course.

The strangest of the occupations by which Harvard students earned money during the past college year was blood transfusion. Twelve men submitted to the operation, each one receiving ten dollars.

Princeton's comprehensive plan of general student participation in athletics, put into operation about four years ago, through the establishment of the department of hygiene and physical education has had most gratifying results. According to the latest report, 78 per cent. of the students are engaged in some form of exercise or athletic competition and the number of sports has been doubled in the four years. The Freshman class in the past few years has been required to exercise regularly, three times a week. Seventy-four per cent. of the Sophomore class, for whom there is no requirement, continued the habit of taking regular exercise. The most popular of the sports is baseball, in which more than a fourth competed.

Cornell University administrative officers and faculty members are organizing a society for the investigation of army and navy efficiency for this country. Its purpose is the "Theoretical and

practical investigation of the military and naval problems of the United States."

Difference of opinion as to the advisability of military training being introduced at Wesleyan prevails among the members of the faculty. Owing to the national law which states that no army officer may be detailed to educational institutions unless the instruction he gives counts toward graduation, the question of military training is of great interest to the faculty. It seems to be the unanimous opinion that the summer camp as instituted at Plattsburg last year, should be encouraged and college men should as far as possible attend. The technical phase of military instruction does not appear to some to be in keeping with the academic ideals of the college, while the question of crediting the instruction toward graduation has many on both sides.

Basketball as a major sport at Dartmouth appears to be in a rather precarious condition. Last year the varsity team was far from being up to the standard of former Dartmouth basketball teams, and the support given by the students in attending the games was poor. As a result the sport suffered financially and unless the coming season brings about a decided improvement in the attitude of the student body toward basketball, it will doubtless be dropped as a varsity sport.

The student body at Penn State College has voted unanimously to abolish class "scraps."

#### CALENDAR

##### April

12. Bowdoin vs. Harvard at Cambridge. Meeting on Bowdoin Club, Library.
14. Bowdoin vs. Wesleyan at Middletown.
15. Bowdoin vs. Dartmouth at Hanover.
16. Bowdoin vs. Amherst at Amherst.
19. Holiday.
- Thomas Mott Osborne Lecture in Union.
- Bowdoin vs. Bates at Lewiston. (Exhibition.)

#### Alumni Department

'18.—It may interest Bowdoin men to know that the oldest living graduate of Harvard University, Nicholas Emery Soule, of Exeter, N. H., who recently succeeded to that distinction through a death, is the son of a Bowdoin man, Gideon L. Soule, of the class of 1818. His father was a famous principal of Phillips Exeter Academy for half a century, and was one of President Hyde's instructors there. Gideon L. Soule had three sons, the eldest of whom, Charles Emery Soule, a leading New York lawyer, was a Bow-



doin Graduate of the class of 1842.

'69. Medic.—Dr. Ezra A. Hobbs, Framingham's oldest physician, died recently at his home. He was born in Berwick, Maine, and graduated from the Bowdoin Medical School in 1869. After taking a post-graduate course in Bellevue College, New York, he began practise in Boston. He is survived by a widow and one son.

'93.—Professor Reginald R. Goodell of Simmons College has recently been advanced in grade to the professorship of Romance Languages. Previous to his work in Simmons College Professor Goodell had taught Romance Languages in Bowdoin, the University of Maine, and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He is one of the four instructors who have been in the service of Simmons College since it was opened in 1902. In 1903 he was made Assistant Professor of Romance Languages and Associate Professor in 1906. Professor Goodell, as chairman of the Department of Modern Languages, also has charge of the German Department.

'08.—Charles Noyes Abbott of Cambridge, Massachusetts, died a short time ago, of scarlet fever, after a week's illness. He graduated from the Harvard Law School in 1911, and since then he has been with the firm of White and Barnes in the practise of law at Boston. He is survived by a wife and a son.

ex-'09.—Anthony H. Fiske has recently been married to Miss Mildred Williams of Portland. Mr. Fiske is associated with the General Baking Powder Company of Jersey City, and will take up his residence in that city.

'03.—Mr. and Mrs. Philip Greeley Clifford of Carroll Street, Portland, Maine, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

'12.—Leland G. Means and Miss Sallie Kimball of Portland were united in marriage on March 31, at the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Small. The couple will reside at the corner of Spring and Emery Streets. Mr. Means has been in business at Portland since graduating from Bowdoin.

'15.—Maynard Hastings died March 27, as a result of a cold which developed into pneumonia. Since his graduation he had been principal of Norridgewock High School.

Ex-'15.—Aaron Winchenbach Hyler died February 25 at his home in Thomaston at the age of twenty-two years. He was compelled to leave college at the end of his Junior year because of ill health and went to the Hebron Sanitarium, where he made a brave fight against the consumption which was gradually undermining his constitution.

Born in Thomaston, Mr. Hyler received his

preparatory education in the schools of that town, and entered Bowdoin in the fall of 1911. Although a student here for only three years, he had gained an excellent reputation as a student when he was obliged to give up college at the end of his Junior year. He was a member of his class squad one year, and a member of the Classical Club and the Debating Council. In spite of the fact that his health was poor, he maintained a cheerful disposition, and was popular among the students.

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## THOMAS MOTT OSBORNE TOMORROW

Bowdoin men will have an opportunity to hear Thomas Mott Osborne, former warden of Sing Sing, in the Union tomorrow afternoon. Although tomorrow is a holiday, a large number signified their intention of staying to hear the lecture. Mr. Osborne, who is a Harvard graduate, was warden of Sing Sing for over a year, and instituted many reforms there. He is an authority on penal conditions and has written several books on the subject. Austin H. McCormick '15, who was incarcerated by request in the state prison at Thomaston last summer will also speak.

## THE SPRING RALLY

Friday night has been set as the date for the Spring Rally and the Student Council is working on a program now that will outshine anything in the history of past rallies. Those who went last year remember the vaudeville, the musical comedies, the enthusiastic speeches by the Bowdoin men who can make the snappiest speeches, and finally the songs and yells for the spring athletics. The reason for having it on Friday night is the Bates Meet next day and the track men must be given a good send-off. This is the big chance of the spring to show the teams that you are behind them and to let them tell you what they are going to do. The Student Council are not saying anything about the program except that it will be the best ever.—Memorial Hall, 7:15.

## WESLEYAN 3, BOWDOIN 1

Bowdoin started its 1916 baseball season by losing to Wesleyan last Thursday with a score of 3 to 1. The first game was scheduled to be played with Harvard on Wednesday, but wet grounds caused it to be cancelled and the Trinity game was cancelled for the same reasons, while at Dartmouth six inches of snow fell on the day the game was scheduled. In the Wesleyan game the fault seemed to be Bowdoin's inability to hit the Middletown team's speedy twirler, Wescott, from whom but three hits were made. Brilliant fielding which shut off several runs was the feature of the Bowdoin team's playing. The game looked like a whitewash for

Bowdoin until the eighth and last inning when Butterfield got to first on an error, stole second, and crossed the plate on another error. The game was called on account of darkness.

The score:

WESLEYAN									
	ab	r	bh	po	a	e			
Chapin, c	3	1	2	10	2	1			
Markthaler, 1b	2	0	0	10	0	0			
Becker, 2b	3	0	1	0	3	0			
Stookey, lf	3	0	1	2	0	0			
Beeman, 3b	2	0	0	1	3	2			
Harman, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0			
Lawson, ss	3	1	1	0	0	0			
Webb, cf	1	1	1	0	0	0			
Westcott, p	3	0	0	0	0	0			
Totals	23	3	7	24	8	2			

BOWDOIN									
	ab	r	bh	po	a	e			
Phillips, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0			
Chapman, rf	4	0	0	0	1	0			
McElwee, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0			
Finn, ss	2	0	1	1	4	0			
Donnell, 3b	2	0	0	0	2	2			
Goodskey, cf	2	0	0	1	1	0			
Bradford, c	3	0	0	6	3	2			
Larrabee, 2b	3	0	0	2	0	0			
Butterfield, p	3	1	0	0	3	1			
Totals	27	1	2	22	16	3			

Innings:  
Wesleyan.....1 0 1 0 0 0 1 x—3  
Bowdoin.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1  
Three base hit, Webb. Stolen bases, Webb, Becker, Larrabee, Finn 3, Goodskey. Double play, Donnell to Larrabee. Bases on balls, off Butterfield, 3; off Westcott, 3. Struck out, by Westcott 9; by Butterfield, 3. Passed balls, Chapin 2, Bradford 2. Time, 1:55. Umpire, McCarthy of Hartford.

## BOWDOIN 2, AMHERST 1

The Amherst game was closely contended and resulted in a 2 to 1 victory for Bowdoin. There was a pitchers' battle between Seamans and White and the Bowdoin freshman twirler showed his mettle in this first 'varsity game. Timely hitting gave the Bowdoin team two runs in the fourth inning while Amherst was held scoreless until the seventh. Pratt Field was reported to be in a wet condition, especially in the outfield. Bowdoin's scores in the fourth inning came when McElwee followed Chapman's hit with a two-bagger. Finn then brought McElwee in with a long hit, aided by an Amherst misplay. In the seventh inning, Partenheimer, a pinch hitter for Amherst, with the bases full, scored See for Amherst's only run. The Bowdoin team showed up in better form than in the Wesleyan game. White proved effective in the tight places, and struck out eight of the Amherst batters, allowing three hits.

The score::

BOWDOIN									
	ab	r	bh	po	a	e			
Phillips, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0			
Chapman, rf	3	1	0	1	0	0			
McElwee, lb	4	1	1	10	0	0			
Finn, ss	4	0	2	2	3	0			
Donnell, 3b	2	0	0	1	0	2			
Goodskye, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0			
Bradford, c	4	0	0	9	2	1			
Larrabee, 2b	4	0	1	3	3	1			
White, p	2	0	0	0	4	1			
Total	29	2	3	27	12	5			

AMHERST									
	ab	r	bh	po	a	e			
C. Seamans, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0			
Munroe, 2b	3	0	0	2	0	0			
Knauth, cf, lb	4	0	0	4	0	0			
Goodridge, lb, p	4	0	0	11	2	0			
Goodrich, 3b	3	0	0	1	2	1			
See, c	4	1	1	7	1	0			
Widmayer, ss	4	0	0	2	3	0			
Washburn, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0			
Seamans, p	2	0	0	0	6	0			
Partenheimer, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0			
Total	32	1	2	27	14	1			

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total
Bowdoin	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Amherst	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1

Two base hits, McElwee. Hits, off White 2, Seamans 4. Sacrifice hits, Donnell, 2. Stolen bases, Phillips 2, Chapman, Goodrich. Left on bases, Bowdoin 6, Amherst 8. First base on balls, off White 4, Seamans 4. First base on errors, Bowdoin 1, Amherst 5. Struck out by White 8, by Seamans 4, by Goodrich 2. Double plays, White, Bradford, Larrabee, Widmayer, Goodridge, See, Finn, Larrabee, McElwee. Time, 2 h., 10 min. Umpire, Ennis.

## NON-MEMBERS OF A. S. B. C.

The Board of Managers announces that the following men are not members of the Associated Students, and are, therefore, ineligible to represent the College in any of the constituent organizations:

1916.—Bate, Canney, Cruff, Ramsdell, Stuart, Thomas, Yenetchi.

1917.—Bowdoin, Campbell, Cook, Davis, Harrison, Hone, Keene, Kent, King, Peacock.

1918.—Bernard, Bigelow, Brierley, Claff, Creighton, Davison, DeMott, French, Grant, Needleman, Peacock, Prosser, Sanderson, Sloggett, Smith, Smith, Stewart, Wass, Whalen, Woodworth.

1919.—Boratis, Caldwell, Canavello, Dunham, Leavitt, McCulloch, McDonald, McPherson, Morrison, Pearson, Pierce, Tilley, Tuttle.

Special.—Stevens, G. M.

## ALL-MAINE BASEBALL SCHEDULE

## APRIL 19

Bowdoin vs. Bates at Lewiston. (Exhibition.)

Maine vs. Colby at Waterville. (Exhibition.)

## APRIL 22

Maine vs. Easterners at Brewer.

## APRIL 25

Bates vs. Harvard at Cambridge.

## APRIL 26

Bates vs. Tufts at Medford, Mass.

## APRIL 29

Bowdoin vs. Maine at Brunswick.

Bates vs. Maine Centrals at Portland.

Colby vs. Boston College at Waterville.

## MAY 2

Bates vs. New Hampshire State at Durham, N. H.

## MAY 3

Colby vs. Maine at Waterville.

Bates vs. Brown University at Providence, R. I.

## MAY 4

Bates vs. Worcester Polytechnic Institute at Worcester.

## MAY 6

Bowdoin vs. Colby at Brunswick.

Bates vs. Maine at Lewiston.

## MAY 10

Bowdoin vs. Colby at Waterville.

Bates vs. Maine at Orono.

## MAY 15

Bowdoin vs. Maine at Orono.

## MAY 17

Bowdoin vs. Tufts at Brunswick.

Bates vs. Colby at Waterville.

## MAY 18

Maine vs. Colby at Waterville.

Bates vs. Tufts at Lewiston.

## MAY 20

Bowdoin vs. Tufts at Medford, Mass.

Maine vs. Colby at Waterville.

Bates vs. New Hampshire State at Lewiston.

## MAY 24

Bowdoin vs. Colby at Brunswick.

Maine vs. Bates at Lewiston.

## MAY 27

Bowdoin vs. Maine at Orono.

Colby vs. Bates at Lewiston.

## MAY 30

Bowdoin vs. Bates at Lewiston.

## JUNE 2

Bowdoin vs. Bates at Brunswick. (Ivy Game.)

## JUNE 3

Colby vs. Bates at Waterville.

## JUNE 10

Bates vs. Colby at Gardiner. (Exhibition.)

## JUNE 13

Colby vs. Maine at Orono.

## JUNE 20

Coombs game at Colby.

## JUNE 21

Alumni game at Bowdoin.

## PLATTSBURG TO COUNT TOWARD DEGREES

At the last faculty meeting it was voted to have attendance at Plattsburg or a similar camp, together with a course of lectures on military science count as a semester course toward the bachelor's degree. The attendance at Plattsburg may come before or after the lectures. There can be nothing definitely done toward the lectures in military science until the meeting of the Boards in June. Two Bowdoin men attended Plattsburg last summer, and with this additional inducement there will doubtless be a large representation from here at the camps this year. A motion to have the attendance at Plattsburg supplant a year of physical training failed to pass. Bowdoin will enter in earnest into the preparedness movement next year, and in addition to the lecture course a military company may be established.

Thomas L. Pierce '98 and Ripley Dana '01, who have been appointed by the Military Training Camps Association to interest alumni and undergraduates of Bowdoin in Plattsburg will be at the college tomorrow, to talk informally to all men who are interested in the Plattsburg movement. There will be no formal meeting but it is hoped that all the students who are interested will meet these men sometime during the day.

## INTERFRATERNITY BASEBALL

Plans have been under way the past week to arrange for the usual series of interfraternity baseball games. There was some talk of abolishing this form of sport in the college as it was apt to interfere with the varsity work, but the Student Council at its meeting last week decided that this would not be desirable and we shall have the games with their good-natured rivalry this year, as in other years. The different fraternities have nearly all chosen captains and managers for their teams and this week the managers will meet and arrange the schedule.

The captains and managers are: Alpha Delta Phi, captain, Woodman '16, manager, Bingham '17; Psi Upsilon, captain, Keene '17, manager, Chase '16; Delta Kappa Epsilon, captain-manager, Bartlett '17; Theta Delta Chi, captain, Beal '16, manager, Albion '18; Zeta Psi, manager, McNaughton '17, captain not yet chosen; Phi Theta Upsilon, captain, Needleman '18, manager, Fillmore '17; Kappa Sigma, captain, Hight '16, manager, Wight '16; Delta Upsilon, captain, Greeley '17, manager, Bond '17; Beta Chi, captain, Richardson '16, manager, Howard '18; Beta Theta Pi, captain-manager, Humphrey '17.

## INTERSCHOLASTIC DEBATING

Brunswick won from Lisbon Falls on last Friday evening in the final preliminary debates of the Bowdoin Interscholastic Debating League. Brunswick upheld the affirmative of the question: "Resolved, That the Garrison plan should be adopted as a military policy for the United States."

The winning speakers were Philip Lovell, Joseph Rousseau and Ronald Tobey. The speakers for Lisbon Falls High were, Miss Hudla Miller, Clifford Varney and Fred Piers.

The judges, Prof. Orren C. Hormell, Jacob '18, and Francis T. Garland principal of Topsham High School gave a unanimous decision.

This places Brunswick in the finals of the interscholastic debating league which are to be held in Hubbard Hall next Friday afternoon and evening. At this time Portland High School, affirmative will debate Edward Little High School, negative on the question: Resolved; that the United States should take definite steps to bring about the formation of a Pan-American Union. Portland having defeated Cony High of Augusta and Edward Little having defeated Lewiston High. Also on Friday Brunswick High, affirmative will debate Biddeford High, negative on the question debated at Lisbon Falls last Friday. The winning teams will receive cups given by the Bowdoin Debating Council.

## SHAKESPEARE TERCENTENARY

The three hundredth anniversary of Shakespeare's death will be observed with special exercises at chapel vespers next Sunday. President Hyde and Professor Elliott will speak on Shakespeare at the service. At many colleges pageants will be given with scenes from his plays. An edition of Macbeth, edited by Professor Johnson will appear in connection with Bowdoin's observance of the tercentenary.

## INTERCOLLEGIATE ORATORICALS

The seventh annual competition of the New England Oratorical League will be held in Memorial Hall, Thursday evening, May fourth. One representative from each of the four colleges in the League, Amherst, Bowdoin, Wesleyan and Williams, will deliver an original oration not more than 1500 words in length.

A preliminary speaking contest will be held in Memorial Hall, Thursday, when a committee of the faculty will select a speaker to represent Bowdoin. Commencement parts or '68 parts may be used in this competition which is open to any student in college.

Bowdoin won the competition last year and holds the record so far.

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## Alumni Issue

The next issue of the ORIENT will be an Alumni number. It will be prepared and edited by a committee of the faculty working with the editorial board, as was the case with the Alumni issue last January and will again be sent free to all alumni of the college.

## The Rally

The annual spring rally will be held Friday evening. Saturday is to be the start of our most successful season in track in recent years. The baseball team is about to commence the championship race with excellent prospects for a pennant. This rally should be the signal to the entire student body for a display of the fighting

spirit which will carry both teams through to victory.

## The Maintenance of the Union

The Union has become an integral part of Bowdoin College. The list of gatherings now held there is becoming greater each week. It is filling a long-felt want, and its future maintenance must now be considered.

In the collection taken among the alumni for the building over of the old Sargent Gymnasium, no provision was made for the maintenance of the new Union. The Governing Board of the Union and the Student Council feel that a part of this should be borne by the student body. The total annual expenses will be about nine hundred dollars. If each student were assessed a dollar a year, about one-half of this would be accounted for. The remainder could probably be obtained from the college. As a matter of convenience this assessment should be added to the term-bill of each student.

The Student Council has voted to submit such a plan to the student body. We hope that it will be accepted by them. The amount of the assessment will not prove a burden to anyone and the Union is to be used and enjoyed by the students as a whole. On them should rest a part of the responsibility for its maintenance.

W. C.

## The Blanket Tax

The trouble with the Blanket Tax lies in the indifference of the student body. As a whole that body does not appreciate the relation of our athletic and other teams to the tax. There is not a student in the institution who is not interested in the welfare of our baseball and track teams, yet when it comes to paying the A. S. B. C. assessment those teams are left out of consideration.

We are printing in this issue a list of the men who have shown no inclination whatever to support the student activities. But these are not the only offenders. There are at present over fifty men in college who have taken out extensions but have failed to pay when those extensions fell due. Apparently these men have given no thought to the payment of the tax and have made absolutely no provision to meet it. Such indifference towards this most vital organ of our student body augurs for the failure of the system. But we are sufficiently optimistic to feel that there is enough true spirit left in the college to forestall such an event.

When the majority of the undergraduates real-



ize that the success of our teams depends upon the financial as well as the moral support of all the students, social pressure will require everyone to meet the assessment.

H. H. F.

#### OLD PIANO FOR ART GALLERY

The latest acquisition to the Bowdoin College art collection is an exquisite old piano, lent to the museum by Mrs. Charles W. Porter of Brunswick. It was given to Mrs. Porter by a descendant of its first owners and is said to be one of the first pianos made. The original owner was instructed in piano-playing and in singing, and the instrument was considered so great a novelty at her time that interested groups of young people gathered outside her house to listen to the music of the pink and white beauty with her fascinating ringlets.

The piano is of mahogany with two narrow lines of inlay. It has six slender legs with brass ornamental bands at the top, and a pedal for one foot, far back, on the left. There is a small rest for the music under the lid. It is strung like a harp and the notes still left suggest a harp-like tone.

The panel above the key-board is of white mahogany with carved or pierced designs at each end. The marking in the middle is almost illegible, but one can make out the words *Wm. Kearsing—London*. The date, unfortunately, is nearly worn off. Mr. Steinert of Boston considers the instrument a most interesting one, about one hundred and twenty-five years old.

N. Hudson Moore in his book on old furniture, says that pianos were made in the wing shape like the harpsichords until 1760 when Zumpe made a square one. By 1800 there were a number of makers in New York.

We have every reason to believe that the beautiful instrument which has so graciously made its way into the Walker Art Building and which seems to fit so perfectly into its place in the Boyd Gallery was made in London, previous to 1800.

#### WITT EX-19 ON THE ATHLETICS

Concerning Witt ex-19 who left college to play professional baseball with the Philadelphia American team, Manager Connie Mack says, "Beginning Saturday, I intend to play young Witt at shortstop. This youngster, a New England lad, comes to me with the reputation of being one of the fastest semi-pro players in New England. He is a natural hitter and a very good looking fielder." In Saturday's game against the Red Sox, Witt secured the only run that his team scored. He headed the batting order.

#### BOWDOIN OUTDOOR TRACK RECORDS

100 yard dash, H. H. Cloudman '01, 9 4-5 seconds.

220 yard dash, H. H. Cloudman '01, E. C. Bates '06, 22 1-5 seconds.

440 yard dash, L. D. H. Weld '05, 51 4-5 seconds.

880 yard run, I. W. Nutter '03, 2 minutes, 2 seconds.

1 mile run, H. J. Colbath '10, 4 minutes, 21 seconds.

2 mile run, H. J. Colbath '10, 9 minutes 56 1-5 seconds.

120 yard high hurdles, W. A. Savage '18, 16 1-5 seconds.

220 yard low hurdles, S. Edwards '10, 24 4-5 seconds.

Pole Vault, F. P. McKenney '15, 11 feet, 4 inches.

Running High Jump, H. S. White '17, 5 feet 8 1/2 inches.

Running broad jump, H. P. Faulkner '13, 23 feet, 1/2 inch.

Hammer throw, G. W. Leadbetter '16, 147 feet, 9 inches.

Discus throw, J. B. Moulton '16, 126 feet, 1 3/4 inches.

Shot put, B. C. Morrill '10, 41 feet, 3/4 inches.

#### INTERSCHOLASTIC BASEBALL SCHEDULE

The interscholastic baseball league will this year consist of one division in which there are four teams: Brunswick, Hallowell, Lewiston and Morse High Schools. Assistant Manager McCormick has announced the following schedule:

April 26.—Morse at Brunswick.

April 29.—Brunswick at Lewiston.

May 3.—Lewiston at Hallowell.

May 10.—Hallowell at Lewiston.

May 17.—Morse at Lewiston.

May 20.—Hallowell at Bath.

May 27.—Brunswick at Hallowell.

May 30.—Morse at Hallowell.

June 1.—Lewiston at Bath.

June 3.—Hallowell at Brunswick.

June 7.—Lewiston at Brunswick.

June 10.—Brunswick at Bath.

#### COMMENCEMENT PARTS

All Seniors whose names are on the provisional list of Commencement speakers are required to write Commencement parts. Any other Senior may present a part in this competition. These parts should contain not over twelve hundred words, and will be due on Monday, May 15. The faculty judges are Professor Burnett, Professor Hutchins and Professor Van Cleve.



### LAST COLLEGE PREACHER

"Ye call me Lord and do not the things that I say," was the text of Dr. Edward F. Sanderson, President of the Good Will Industries of Brooklyn, N. Y., at chapel vespers Sunday. He compared the present situation of theoretical versus practical religion to a town in which many large buildings were used as lecture halls to describe the uses and preparation of leather, yet all the people of the town went barefoot. Like this, he said, is the community which preaches Christ and does not apply his teachings to every day life. He spoke of the work of Thomas Mott Osborne in applying the spirit of love as a working principle. He said that it was not commonly supposed that the spirit of love was a practical one to use in everyday business, but he showed by several examples that it often worked out to be the best policy.

Dr. Sanderson was entertained at dinner Sunday night by the Psi Upsilon fraternity of which he is a member. He is the last of the college preachers this year.

### POP CONCERT HERE NEXT MONDAY

The Bowdoin Musical Clubs have arranged to have a Pop Concert and dance in the Town Hall next Monday night, April 24. The plan will necessarily involve great expense, so the patronage of the student body is respectfully solicited. During the concert and dance, refreshments and smokes will be served. The tables will be grouped informally, six seats at a table. Fraternities desiring grouped tables may obtain them from the management. The reserved seats are 50 cents. Seats in the gallery, which do not include tables, are 25 cents.

### RIFLE CLUB

Professor Langley reports that the bond necessary for getting rifles from the Springfield Arsenal was executed and forwarded to the Chief of Ordnance at Washington on April 4th. No acknowledgments have been received thus far, though letters of inquiry have been sent to Washington, Springfield and Augusta.

Systematic shooting will begin at the earliest possible date and upon the results will depend our decision to enter a team in the National Intercollegiate shoot from May 15th to June 15th. This shoot would be held on our own range and results approved by an official inspector from the N. R. A.

The conditions of the match call for ten shoots at each of three distances; 200 yards rapid fire, kneeling from standing; 300 and 500 yards slow

fire using U. S. Army targets.

The National matches will be held at Jacksonville, Fla., Oct. 20th, 1916 and it is hoped that Bowdoin will be represented.

### BOWDOIN CLUB MAY BE REORGANIZED

The meeting to discuss the reorganization of the Bowdoin Club was held last Tuesday afternoon in the Union. It was attended by a number of faculty and non-fraternity men. The proposition was thoroughly discussed and it was decided to canvass the eligible men in college to obtain members for such a club. A petition for reorganization was drawn up by a committee composed of Professor Nixon, Cobb '17 and Gardner '19. This has been circulated during the past week but the results are as yet uncertain.

### ASSESSMENT FOR UNION

At a meeting of the Student Council held last week, it was voted that a referendum of a proposal to assess the student body fifty cents each a semester for the Union—for which the Boards will appropriate \$400 in addition—be submitted to the students at the spring elections. This tax is intended for the support and upkeep of the Union and it is hoped that every Bowdoin student will see his duty in the matter.

### With the Faculty

Mr. Evans will give a course in Physics at the Harvard Summer School.

Professor Langley has been appointed delegate from Bowdoin to the dedication of the new buildings at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in June.

At a recent incorporation of the Brunswick Golf Club Dean Sills was elected president of the club and Professor Woodruff was chosen secretary.

Professor Bell will speak at the next meeting of the State Street parish club at the Congress Square Hotel in Portland, Friday evening.

### On the Campus

Wednesday is a holiday. Adjourns.

Term bills should be paid by April 21st.

John O'Donnell, special, has left college.

The Freshmen held a class meeting last Friday evening.

The band rehearsed Thursday night to tune up for the spring meets and ball games.

Followers of Isaac Walton have been whipping the brooks in this vicinity for trout this week.

Eaton *ex-'17* was on the campus on his vacation from Tufts. He is a candidate for the board of the *Tufts Weekly*.

On the campus last week were: J. C. Minot '96, H. J. Colbath '10, J. Tarbox '14, Tackaberry '15, B. M. Smithurst, *ex-18*.

The various tennis courts are being put in order now in the hope that we have at last seen the final snow storm of the year.

Several members of the faculty and their wives will figure prominently in the Brunswick Dramatic Club's presentation of Barrie's "Lucy."

A trip has been arranged for the Masque and Gown. The Ivy Play, "Mrs. Dot" will be presented at West Roxbury on Saturday, May 20.

Beta Theta Pi and Theta Delta Chi sent out invitations this week for their annual "At Homes," which will be held at the chapter houses Friday afternoon, April 28.

25 major warnings and 89 minors were given out last week. A large number of minors were in physical training. Last year at this time there were 24 majors and 58 minors.

Candidates for the spring tennis tournament should hand their names immediately to Stone '17, or to Norton '18. Candidates for assistant manager of tennis should report now.

Members of the Psi Upsilon fraternity residing in Maine will have a reunion and banquet at the Falmouth Hotel, Portland, tonight. A hundred members are expected. Sayward '16 is undergraduate chairman.

The schedule for the second team is fast taking form. Manager McCormick reports a game with Hebron May 10th, and games pending with Bates second team, Portland High, Kent's Hill and Rockland A. C.

Witt *ex-'19* appeared in the first game between the Athletics and the Red Sox as a pinch hitter for the Philadelphia team. He also played the full game on the Athletics against Richmond and brought in two runs.

The period for the removal of incompletes is May 1 to May 15. Students desiring examination should leave their names at the college office with a list of subjects in which they wish to be examined before April 25.

The Kappa Sig's piled up a big score against the Medics in baseball on the Delta Saturday. The score:

KAPPA SIGS	2 1 2 1 0 5 9 2 0—22
MEDICS	0 0 1 2 0 0 1 0 3—7

Batteries: Moran '17, Campbell '16 and Robinson '19; Matthews Medic '18 and Carde Medic '19.

## RESOLUTIONS

### PHI THETA UPSILON FRATERNITY

April 14, 1916.

The recent death of Brother Maynard Albert Hastings has brought grief to Phi Theta Upsilon.

As a member of the class of 1915, and as one of the most earnest and enthusiastic workers for the transforming of the Bowdoin Club into a new fraternity, Brother Hastings was known and esteemed.

His nature was friendly and he believed in the social and intimate relations of fraternity life. Quiet, conscientious and studious, he went about his college duties without desire to attract attention, and yet with firm purpose and resolve to put into his college work all that he had. Always gentle spirited and considerate of others, he was valued as a constant and enduring friend.

Phi Theta Upsilon feels very deeply the loss of Brother Hastings and wishes to place on record this testimonial to his memory.

MAURICE CLIFTON PROCTOR,  
ROY SPEAR,

DANIEL CALHOUN ROPER, JR.  
*For Phi Theta Upsilon.*

## CALENDAR

April

19. Patriot's Day  
3 p.m. Thomas Mott Osborne "Prison Reform," Memorial Hall.  
Bowdoin vs. Bates at Lewiston (exhibition)
21. Interscholastic Debating Finals, Hubbard Hall.  
7.15 p.m. Spring Rally, Memorial Hall.
22. 2.30 p.m. Dual Track Meet, Bowdoin vs. Bates, Whittier Field.
23. Easter.  
5 p.m. Shakespeare Tercentenary Exercise, Chapel vesper.
24. 8 p.m. Musical Clubs Pop Concert, Town Hall.
28. Theta Delta Chi House Party.  
Beta Theta Pi House Party.
29. Bowdoin vs. Maine, Whittier Field.

## Alumni Department

'71.—Word has recently been received of the death of Vernon Dana Price. Mr. Price was born in Cincinnati, Ohio, in 1848. Immediately after his graduation he went to Louisville, Kentucky, where he entered the manufacturing business. He stayed in this city until 1901 when his place of business was changed to Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. He died on the 17th of December, 1915.

'86.—Professor Harry Ridgeaway Fling is the unfortunate sufferer from a badly dislocated shoulder, which he received as a result of a recent fire that destroyed the main building of the Oshkosh Normal School, in Oshkosh, Wisconsin. While endeavoring to save some valuable books which belonged to the institution the fire shut off his escape from the second floor and he was obliged to jump from a window, in order to save his life. Professor Fling studied at the University of Chicago after leaving Bowdoin, and then for four years was the principal of the high school at Old Orchard, Maine. Since then he has been a professor of Biology in the institution which he now serves.

'86.—Dr. Charles A. Davis, Geologist of the Bureau of Mines, died at his residence in Washington, D. C., on April 9th, after a short illness. Dr. Davis was born in Portsmouth, N. H., in 1861; he received the degree of Bachelor of Arts in 1886 and Master of Arts in 1889 from Bowdoin College, where he was elected to Phi Beta Kappa and was also a member of Alpha Delta Phi fraternity. He received the degree of Doctor of Philosophy from the University of Michigan in 1905. After having taught at Alma College and the University of Michigan for several years, he was appointed peat expert in the United States Geological Survey in 1907, to which position he was appointed in 1910 in the Bureau of Mines when that bureau was organized. His chief studies were on the nature, origin, occurrence, and use of peat, and on these subjects he was the foremost authority in the United States. Dr. Davis was the editor of the *Journal of the American Peat Society*, a fellow of the Geological Society of America, and a member of many other scientific societies. He was the author of numerous Federal, State, and private reports on geological and other scientific subjects.

'07.—Malon P. Whipple '07 who after making a record of great distinction at Bowdoin, continued work in chemistry at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, has been made assistant superintendent of the Hudson Rubber Works at Hudson, Mass., where he has been for several years. This concern makes 15,000 pairs of rub-

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## THE TWENTY-FIVE YEAR CLASS

The class of 1891, which celebrates its twenty-fifth anniversary this year, graduated 53 men. Since it left college nine of the number have died. Among them were some of its most promising and beloved members. Riley, already a successful teacher in Drury College, died within a year of the day he took his degree. Cilley, son and grandson of two famous graduates of Bowdoin, died on the threshold of a career at the bar which, as all believe, would have been brilliant. Packard, a boy whom every one loved, died in the same year. Poor, who left family and life-work to become a volunteer soldier in the Spanish American War, was a victim to the unpreparedness that made the volunteer training camp a national scandal. Horne, an earnest and useful minister of the Gospel, died, worn out in a fight he led against the vicious and lawless liquor interests in a New Hampshire manufacturing town. Edward Newbegin, also a beloved and successful clergyman, died of typhoid fever in 1906. Bangs died untimely in 1909, and Parker in 1913. Only last year his classmates were grieved to learn of the passing of John Hastings, for twenty years a busy and faithful physician in Boston.

Of the forty-four surviving members of the class, ten are practising lawyers. Burleigh has added to his profession the management of the large lumber interests of his family and has made his mark in the public life of his native state, where he has served as speaker of the State Legislature. W. M. Hilton has been county attorney of Lincoln County. Fish, Goding, Jarvis and Scales are in successful practise in Boston, Fish as a patent attorney and the others in general practise. Jarvis is a member of the present General Court of Massachusetts. Jordan is a leader of the bar in Charleston, the capital of West Virginia. Emerson Hilton, after ten highly successful years in the law, two of them in the office of county attorney, met with a most unfortunate accident which has left him physically incapable of the career that his abilities promised. Brown adds to his law work, business and real estate activities in Lynn and Peabody, Massachusetts.

Nine of 91's living members are physicians. After an interesting and romantic professional experience in Newfoundland, Burr has returned to his native state and is settled in Lisbon Falls. Drew and Mahoney have large practises in Boston and Somerville respectively. Hunt is no less successful in East Orange, N. J., and Tukey has spent twenty years of very active medical work in Bridgeport, Conn. Ridlon was long the surgeon-in-chief at the National Soldiers' Home in Togus, but is now in general practise in Portland. Jackson is physician to most of Woodstock, Vt., and friend to all the town. Wright, after some years of special practise as an oculist, is now connected with the U. S. Marine Hospital Service. Lincoln long ago entered the medical branch of missionary work, and as a teacher at St. John's College, Shanghai, China, and director of its dispensary work is leading one of the most useful and helpful lives imaginable.

Seven men have made teaching their life work. Smith is head professor of Greek in Amherst College and Mallett has succeeded another Bowdoin man as the principal of the State Normal School in Farmington, Me. Dyer is a master at the Berkshire School, Sheffield, Mass. Erskine and Dudley are high school principals and Loring is a superintendent of schools in Plymouth Co., Massachusetts. Tibbetts at last reports was teaching in California. Croswell was a successful principal of several Normal Training Schools, till the state of his health obliged him to give up teaching. He is in the real estate business in Los Angeles. Thompson also had to give up teaching when his sight failed, and he has taken up dramatic reading with great success.

Hardy, Noyes and the McDonald brothers are all faithful and hard-working pastors. Alexander McDonald is at the head of a very interesting work among the isolated coast villages of eastern Maine. He visits a score of these places in his little steam launch and carries to hundreds of homes Gospel privileges that they would otherwise be without.

Cutts is a successful analytical chemist in New York. Charles Hastings is an important member



of the staff of the Library of Congress in Washington. Chapman, after some years of newspaper work in New York, has been for twenty years an editor of the *Youth's Companion*. Kelley is a dentist in Portland. Nelson and P. C. Newbegin entered the profession of engineering, Nelson at Rumford and Newbegin in Aroostook County. Newbegin has also been deeply interested in railroad management in northern Maine.

Business in one form or other has occupied the other members of the class—Minott, Porter, Simonton, Munsey, Drew and Foss. Minott has built ships in the old Phippsburg yard, and has served with credit in both branches of the Legislature. Porter has been both merchant and manufacturer of lumber. Simonton is in the dry goods business, and Munsey is in railroad work. Drew practised law for some years but when last heard from had gone into business.

The twenty-fifth reunion of 1891 will be held on June 21st next. The class will have its headquarters during Commencement week at No. 38 College St., and it will celebrate the occasion by lunching at New Meadows Inn and dining at the Hotel Eagle on Wednesday. There is a good prospect that twenty-five or thirty of its members will return to Brunswick to take part in these festivities.

H. S. C. '91.

#### DEAN SILLS TO THE BOSTON ALUMNI

It is always a pleasure to represent the college at an alumni gathering. Those of us who are at Brunswick need the wider outlook that these meetings give. We need to recall for our own benefit that the college is something more comprehensive than buildings and grounds and teachers and students; that it is a great ideal institution made up also of that devoted body of members scattered all over this land. "Where is Bowdoin College anyway?" one of our graduates in Philadelphia was recently asked. "Well, a part of it is in Brunswick, Maine," was the answer, "but another part is in New York. There's a piece of it in Boston and quite a lot of it in San Francisco. A few years ago you might have found a part of it at the North Pole. It's in Shanghai and London and Colon. Bowdoin College is located wherever you find a Bowdoin man." The answer is in the main correct. For the college is made of what we, her sons, think of her. To adapt the words of Kipling:

"If Bowdoin were what Bowdoin seems  
And not the Bowdoin of our dreams  
But only stones and bricks and paint  
How quick we'd chuck her—But she ain't!"

These alumni gatherings, moreover, bring us

together also as college men. In the perfectly proper patriotism that places our own Alma Mater first, we should not forget that we are but a very small group of American college graduates; and that it is our pleasant duty to further the spirit of union and coöperation. In the first half century of Bowdoin's history there was, I take it, comparatively little of intensive alumni activity. It has been said, indeed, that the present alumni attitude in all our colleges is hardly older than the administration of the great Dr. Tucker of Dartmouth and has followed in the wake of intercollegiate athletics. The good that has come to us, as to all colleges, from increased alumni loyalty can not be estimated: it would nevertheless be a pity for us to lose our earlier and more catholic point of view that we belong to the greater body of college men. In the words of Newbolt we should strive

"To count the life of battle good

And dear the land that gave us birth

And dearer yet the brotherhood

That binds the brave of all the earth."

Bowdoin has had many reasons to be grateful to her sister colleges. Of our seven presidents, only two have been graduates of Bowdoin, while two have come to us from Dartmouth, two from Harvard and one from Union. The college has been under the administration of our own graduates but sixteen years in her history; and under the administration of graduates of other colleges, ninety-five years. At present the President and eighteen members of our faculty of thirty are graduates of other colleges. There is no fear of inbreeding at Bowdoin; in this respect we are better off than are many small colleges.

One distinction that clung to us, though falsely, these many years we have lost: we can no longer boast, if indeed we ever did, that Bowdoin has all she wants. We need an infirmary, a new dormitory and a swimming pool. There is each year a healthy and growing deficit: with the increase in the number of students we need continual additions to our funds; and those alumni who advocate a college of 500 students or more should present the college with a million dollars to add to the endowment. Some economists have recently told us that the railroads of the country need as much capital, energy and intelligence expended upon them in the next fifty years as were required for their development during the last fifty. Bowdoin College likewise requires and will require in the next half century as much sacrifice, as much devotion, as many gifts as have been lavished upon her with such generosity by her friends and alumni during the administration of President Hyde.



There is not a great deal to say about the specific work of the college during the past year. "Blessed is the country whose annals are empty"; and it has been a quiet and sane time with us. It is true that the toll time ever exacts has been unusually heavy. By the death of General Hubbard the college has lost her most devoted and generous benefactor, and the president, a most wise and loyal counselor. The late Dr. Little so performed his duties as scholar and librarian that the college library became of distinct service not only to its own patrons but to the State. The most modest, self-sacrificing and courteous of souls, he has left behind him a blessed memory. With his passing there has gone from the faculty the one who by his large personal acquaintance and his intimate knowledge of Bowdoin's history and of the careers of her sons did far more than any other person to bind the alumni to the college. The faculty realizes only too well that without the presence of Professors Lee, Robinson, Chapman and Little the campus must seem a very different place to many of the alumni; and we ask of the older graduates in particular patience and indulgence if they are not so often personally greeted as they used to be by those cordial hands that are now still.

We have had during the past year the usual happenings that cheer:—the winning once more of the Rhodes Scholarship for Maine (Bowdoin has lost this but once since there has been general competition); the winning of the intercollegiate prize speaking, in which the other colleges represented are Amherst, Brown, Wesleyan and Williams, for the third time out of the six contests; the steady if exasperatingly slow improvement in the athletic situation; the opening under very favorable circumstances of the useful and attractive Bowdoin Union. We are again singularly fortunate in the four men who have been added to the faculty as instructors. After all, the teaching force is the real heart of the college. There must be administrative officers with their pernicious activities; there must be alumni associations and undergraduate competitions of all sorts; but the college is a mere empty shell, unworthy of its name, unless there are men devoting themselves to the task of arousing in the student intellectual interests and ambitions. The figure, quaint if you will, of the unworldly, absent-minded professor, absorbed in his work and in his desire to kindle in youth some spark of the love for knowledge, seems to some a more worthy symbol of the college than the splendid young athlete, the successful administrator, or the solid business man.

At Brunswick we have all, students and faculty, read with interest and mingled feelings President Foster's *Atlantic* article on "An Indictment of Intercollegiate Athletics." As Dr. Lowell of Harvard says, we cannot have too much athletics of the right sort. But there is one phase of athletics not often remarked which seems to me even more dangerous than is professionalism. The great trouble with athletics is not that they require too much time from the students for their actual pursuit, nor even that because of training seasons and trips abroad they interfere too much with college work. Such troubles can be easily regulated. But athletics so fill the horizon of the typical undergraduate and often of the young graduate that other things are neglected or not regarded as of such importance. In the last eighteen months many a student has read the athletic columns of our newspapers with more attention and zeal than he has read about the war. He is, to be sure, no worse than many of his elders. But we have a right to expect from our colleges an intelligent interest on the part of undergraduates in state, national and international affairs. One reason why we do not always get such interest is organized athletics. Oxford used to be called the home of lost causes. Our campus is too often merely the home of lost games.

With these considerations in mind it is fortunate that in so many quarters active efforts are being made to direct the attention of collegians toward their duty to the State in war as well as in peace. At Bowdoin there is no thought of militarism nor of compulsory service. The faculty is of the opinion that students who have the time and means will perform a patriotic service by attending the summer military camps at Plattsburg or elsewhere, and that they should be given credit toward their degree for such work, if properly supplemented by lectures in military science to be given at the college. Exactly on what lines this policy can be carried out, it would be premature to say. But one thing is clear. The students in our colleges must be trained in patriotism and in good citizenship, as in other things; and must be taught that they are not to look forward so much to being cared for by the State as to doing something for the State. One advantage of voluntary military service is that it gives concrete form to such an ideal. The obligation on the American colleges to lead along these lines was never clearer than it is today. Owen Wister in his "Pentecost of Calamity" puts a pertinent question when he asks if in the past eighteen dreadful months our universities and colleges have been true to their duties to the



## NEW YORK ALUMNI DINNER

At the New York Alumni Dinner at the Hotel Manhattan on February 4, about 125 were in attendance. The principal speakers were Dean Sills, '01, Admiral Robert E. Peary, '77, Major George E. Putnam, Hon. '94, Cyrus H. K. Curtis, Hon. '13, and Dr. F. H. Albee, '99. Dr. Lucien Howe, '79, presided. In this picture each man with a telephone receiver at his ear is listening to Bernard C. Carroll, '89, as from San Francisco he greets his brother alumni across the continent.

American people. If we become so engrossed in outer prosperity, so fearful of risking comfort and ease, so indifferent toward peoples struggling for freedom and liberty, we may wake up some day to find that in the great fight for democracy America has not taken her rightful part.

### A BALLAD OF THE TIMES

(Note, for the older alumni: On the campus there are differences of opinion in regard to the right college time. We follow the chapel bell, but our faith in it is not unshaken. We unanimously agree, however, that the clock in the Science Building, though the most prominent clock in college, is consistently wrong.)

The Science Clock and Chapel Bell

Were talking late at night.

"Your time is bad," the Clock remarked,

"But I can set you right."

The other rolled his tongue, and said,

"The moon is shining bright."

"See here," the nimble Clock replied,

"You're ignorant and crude;

My sharper ring is better far

To guide the youthful brood."

The humble clumsy Bell it sighed,

"I think your works are stewed."

The Clock in militant voice returned,

"How can you dare to sould?

You often speak at the wrong time.

You're whimsical—not bold."

The Bell replied in wobbly tones,

"I speak but when I'm tolled."

Th' aristocratic Clock chimed in:

"That's it, that's just the point;

The other clocks all differ, and

It's plain we should anoint

A king, that's ME—" (The big Bell groaned,

"The times are out of joint")—

"For what we need is centralized

And scientific rule,

But you're a dull religious sort

Of democratic tool."

The Bell remarked, "Review your works,

Y' clever little fool."

E.

### CHANGES WROUGHT BY TIME

Hon. Edward C. Plummer '87 of Bath was one of the speakers at the Boston Alumni Dinner on January 13. After narrating inimitably some of the humorous pranks of his college days, he struck a deep note of seriousness. All who heard him, as well as those who did not, will be interested in reading the closing sentences of his speech:

"Those years of college life—years so unlike

all others! When Life thrilled with the glow of the morning; when Hope faced the future with defiant eyes; when Ambition ranged the whole world and saw no impassable barriers there; when friendships were disinterested; when a man was valued for what he was and not for what his clothes proclaimed; when we held with careless clasp that priceless treasure—our unused years!

"But when the elder graduate returns to his old college home he misses the forms of those who once so impressed their personality there. Of all those professors who constituted Bowdoin's eminent faculty when I entered, only one remains. So swiftly whirls the wheel of time! The benign Packard; the critical Avery; those two who understood the heart of youth so well—Robison and Lee; the gentle scholar, Little—all are gone; and that other, whom many of us saw for the last time as he stood in Memorial Hall, the softened light from a cathedral falling upon his countenance so that it seemed as if it was of him his favorite poet had written:

"There, looking upward, full of grace,

'He sang; and from the sacred place

'God's glory shone upon his face."

"And so I like to remember him as he stood there then—that light upon his face; leading in song the gathered children of the college he loved so well, our—"Harry."

### INGRAHAM '95, ASST. SECRETARY OF WAR

On April 19 President Wilson appointed William M. Ingraham Assistant Secretary of War. Mr. Ingraham was born in Portland, November 2, 1870, the son of Darius H. and Ella Moulton Ingraham. After his graduation from Bowdoin he studied law in the Harvard Law School and in the office of Hon. Augustus F. Moulton and was admitted to the bar in 1897. He at once began practise in Portland. On June 1, 1901, he married Miss Jessamine P. Damsel of Evanston, Ill. Mr. Ingraham was elected Judge of the Probate Court of Cumberland County in 1906, and held this office until 1914. In 1915 he was Mayor of Portland.

### DR. C. M. ROBINSON '07, GOING TO FRANCE

Dr. Carl Merrill Robinson, one of the prominent physicians of Portland, will leave for Europe about the middle of next month, where he will serve in one of the base hospitals, probably in France. After his graduation from the Harvard Medical School in 1911, he spent several years in the Rhode Island and Massachusetts General Hospitals, before beginning his practise in Portland.



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### Alumni Help

The ORIENT wishes to thank the class secretaries, who have rendered valuable assistance in collecting alumni news, also the many other graduates who have sent back encouraging words of appreciation of the first Alumni Number. The ORIENT welcomes both friendly advice and adverse criticism; and it wishes the alumni to remember that it is their medium of expression, that the main purpose of these special numbers is to keep the graduates in touch with the active life of the college and with one another, and that any communication which helps to accomplish that end it receives with gratitude.

### Citizenship and the College

Two significant changes in the curriculum have been discussed by the Faculty since the last Alumni Issue. The first has to do with military training. It is proposed to count towards a degree work done during the summer at military camps like Plattsburg, provided this work is supplemented by instruction in military science at the college. This means that the college wishes to do its part in preparing for war, if war must come. But, like every Christian institution of learning, it believes in war only as a last resort—to maintain the nation's honor, to defend the rights of humanity. It would no less prepare its students for peace—to do well the civic duties that devolve upon them at all times. As a step towards this its courses in history and government have been reorganized and extended.

These changes, perhaps not great in themselves, are significant because they reflect a marked trend in the American college world and especially at Bowdoin. Four years ago President Hadley of Yale, speaking to the assembled representatives of many colleges, asserted that in a republic like ours the prime duty of a college is training for good citizenship. Never has that duty lain more heavily upon the college than it does today. During the last two years, in books and magazines widely read, many startling opinions concerning the forms, powers and rights of governments have been advanced. We have been told that no such thing as international law exists; that treaties are but mere scraps of paper; that small nations have but small rights; that governments do not "derive their just powers from the consent of the governed;" and that democracy at best is but an inefficient and blundering form of government. What greater duty can rest upon a college than to give young men as clear an insight as possible into the rights and powers and duties of nations and sane and stimulating instruction concerning the responsibilities of citizenship?

### THE BOWDOIN CLUB

For three years and a half the Bowdoin Club gave many fraternity privileges, at much less than fraternity cost, to about forty of the constantly increasing number of undergraduates, who for one reason or another did not join fraternities, the membership of the Club being limited chiefly by the physical limitations of the club house. On the whole, the Club had been a distinct success. Its members had enjoyed the many advantages that come from close association and solidarity: their life in college and their

visits to the college after graduation had been made much more pleasant. Graduate members of the Club who remembered the old life of the non-fraternity man have spoken enthusiastically of the new opportunities which the Club afforded.

When the Bowdoin Club was organized in 1913, there were about fifty non-fraternity men in the college. Now, after the formation of two new Greek letter societies which include all the undergraduate members of what was until this semester the Bowdoin Club, there are still about fifty non-fraternity men in college. The fact that the old club has temporarily disappeared in these two societies is quite what was to be expected as the college grew in numbers and is precisely what is necessary if a Bowdoin Club, with its accommodation for about forty men only, is to be the home of *all* the non-fraternity men in college who wish to become its members. If members of the Bowdoin Club had decided to form a new Greek letter society at a time when there were not enough men left in college to form a new Bowdoin Club, the Club would have proved itself a failure. As it is, it must be regarded as having fulfilled its purpose hitherto, and it is certainly the hope of the Faculty and of others who know the past and present situation of the non-fraternity man at Bowdoin that the Bowdoin Club will be reorganized.

The situation now is nearly what it was when the Club was first formed to meet what seemed a very imperious moral demand upon the college, though a demand not formulated by the men who were to be the Club's chief beneficiaries. Today, having, as we do, the club house and its equipment, and knowing that there are many non-fraternity men in college who really want such a club, it would be very unfortunate if it were allowed to die. About twenty of these men have already pledged themselves to join the Club—in case they do not leave college or join fraternities—if it is reorganized on its former basis, and there is little question of more such men coming in. With the addition of the ten or fifteen Freshmen whom the club might expect to take in next fall, these men should be able to meet all the Club's financial obligations as successfully as has been the case in the past.

PAUL NIXON.

#### MILITARY TALK

There will be a meeting next Tuesday at which several Bowdoin alumni and others prominent in military matters will speak before the students concerning the formation of a military company here, and to further the Plattsburg cam-

paigning. General Leonard Wood is to speak under the auspices of the Ibis this spring. The speakers next Tuesday will set forth the Federalized militia plan, but it is uncertain as to the nature of the military organization which would be formed here.

#### THE COMMENCEMENT PLAY

The Commencement play will this year be Shakespeare's "The Taming of the Shrew." It will be presented on the steps of the Art Building in the evening, instead of the afternoon as heretofore, of Wednesday, June 21. It is expected that this change will much enhance the attractiveness of the performance. Every effort will be made to bring out the scenic effect of the beautiful entrance-way to the building. Mr. Loring Pratt '12, of the General Electric Company, New York, has kindly offered to help with the lighting effects and to provide special apparatus. The play will begin at eight o'clock and be over at ten. Mail orders for seats will be filled as in previous years. The price of reserved seats is fifty cents. Checks should be made payable to J. B. Stride, Manager.

#### DISTRIBUTION OF BOWDOIN ALUMNI

There are now living 2050 Bowdoin alumni. Of these 1961 are distributed over the world as follows: Maine, 808; Massachusetts, 407; New York, 192; New Hampshire, 68; California, 55; New Jersey, 35; Pennsylvania, 35; Minnesota, 25; Ohio, 17; Rhode Island, 15; Vermont, 13; Missouri, 12; Washington, 11; Colorado, 11; Canada, 8; Texas, 7; Oregon, 8; China, 6; Indiana, 6; Oklahoma, 6; Iowa, 5; North Carolina, 5; England, 4; Florida, 4; Maryland, 4; Tennessee, 4; Arizona, 3; Kansas, 3; Philippine Islands, 3; Porto Rico, 3; Panama, 3; Utah, 3; Mexico, 3; Arkansas, 2; Georgia, 2; Idaho, 2; Japan, 2; Nebraska, 2; North Dakota, 2; Virginia, 2; West Virginia, 2; Alaska, 1; Cuba, 1; France, 1; Hawaii, 1; Honolulu, 1; India, 1; Palestine, 1; Sweden, 1.

#### 1911 REUNION

The class of 1911 will hold its fifth reunion this Commencement. The committee in charge of the reunion is making an effort to have all non-graduate members back, as well as those who remained to graduate. The committee announces that at the reunion the class will follow no precedents and that nothing from the start of the performance to the final dropping of the curtain will be similar to any reunion which has gone before. Arthur H. Cole is chairman of the committee in charge of the reunion.





### INTERIOR OF BOWDOIN UNION

The Bowdoin Union was dedicated to general student service on April 4, 1916, with an informal sociable attended by three hundred college men. From the day of its opening, informal sociability has been the dominating influence in the Union's use.

The management and care of the Union have rested essentially upon student officers. The governing board is made up of seven men. Two seniors, two juniors, and one sophomore are elected annually, and two faculty members are chosen in alternate years to serve two years. All matters of general policy are decided by the governing board, and each member is assigned one day a week for inspection duty. The actual care of the building is vested in five student attendants. These men work seventeen hours a week and receive for this service \$2.50.

The Union serves three types of needs: for general student recreation, for open student gatherings, and for closed meetings. A census made by an attendant covering one week shows that 90% of the student body made use of the privileges of the building in that time, and this is not an excessive measure of the Union's popularity. For pool and billiards a nominal charge is made, and this revenue combined with the income from a small store at the desk has made it possible to earn a net amount of about \$1.25 per week.

During the term there have been given in the Union nine lectures, the most of them illustrated, before audiences of from sixty to two hundred and fifty people. There have also been one college debate, two college teas and several smaller club meetings. The spirit of social ease stimulated by the cheerful fireplace and comfortable

appointments makes the Union particularly adapted for such service as this. The precedent of holding fraternity house parties in the Union is about to be established. For such a closed meeting a charge is made to cover financial loss, janitor service, and loss of privilege to other students. This charge is small enough to compete with down town hall rentals, and the advantages of being on the campus are innumerable.

In every respect the Union has justified itself. We may hope that each succeeding class will widen the field of its possibilities and further emphasize its value to the college.

M. E. L.

### "THE GOSPEL OF GOOD WILL"

#### PRESIDENT HYDE'S NEW BOOK

This volume is an attempt to formulate the essence of Christianity, divested of all theology and metaphysic, as a rule of life and in its terms to state what men ought to do in the chief fields of conduct. The logic inherent in the presentation runs about as follows: Let us abandon, for the moment, the attempt to establish the validity of Christianity by historical evidence that Christ once lived and declared the doctrines attributed to him. Let us rather ask what it is, essentially, that Christianity has to say to the world; and, in that content, ask its justification in such wise as to force the conclusion that if the world forgot the origin of Christianity or denied the theory or revelation or even found no satisfactory evidence for a historic Christ, it would still, merely on comprehending Christianity, in its essence, insist on giving allegiance to it. That essence is declared to consist in an ideal of living, mutual good will. Assuming this without historical or critical discussion, the author urges that this ideal is really what men already most deeply approve; and he calls, in evidence, the witness of "contemporary scriptures," as represented by eight authors, in the widely varying fields of history, biography, literature and social reform. He gives practical illustrations in many fields; and then, turning to the reader, he asks, in effect: Can you yourself find a life-pattern that you more deeply approve, whatever the source? And if not, what sounder evidence do you want for the validity of Christianity? Can God's will be less noble than man's?

The author refrains from offering any proof that this method of argument is sound, but certainly not because it is incapable of logical defense.

The body of the book consists in the application of good will as a standard of morals, in the following ways: A man's first practical question in any situation must be: What does good will require of me here? The "contemporary scripture," quoted in witness is Jerome's "The Passing of the Third Floor Back."

From the neglect of this principle of good will follow all the meanness and selfishness of the natural man, of which he becomes heartily ashamed when he catches the vision of good will. Masefield in "The Everlasting Mercy" and "The Widow in the Bye Street," is the modern prophet of this doctrine. Such self-conviction, which is repentance, is the one prerequisite to forgiveness, until seventy times seven, as Thomas Mott Osborne declares in "Behind Prison Bars." The man's vocation must thereupon be made a complete expression of good will, wherein he seeks not his private good merely but the good of all concerned by his work. Such an ideal was exemplified in the life of William H. Baldwin, Jr., as set forth in "An American Citizen" by John Graham Brooks. But every expression of good will brings its own cost, a sacrifice, to be cheerfully welcomed. Belgium bravely found this true. Charles Sarolea declared of her, in "How Belgium Saved Europe": "She has lost everything, but she has saved her own soul, and she has saved the liberties of Europe." From such continuous expression of good will flow, as by-products, all the special virtues. Kennedy pointed this out to the theatrical public in "The Servant in the House," while Riis, in "The Making of an American" and "The Battle with the Slum," showed that all secular institutions find their justification as widened fields for the exercise of good will. Finally, religious institutions are justified as aids in the cultivation and propagation of good will,—a doctrine preached by Winston Churchill in "The Inside of the Cup."

"The Gospel of Good Will" was given on the Lyman Beecher Foundation at Yale University, in February, 1916, in the form of lectures on preaching. To this circumstance the book owes its literary form, each chapter offering a text, a lesson and a sermon, the entire series developing what the author calls the commissions of the preacher. To the latter is shown, in terms of a liberalized theology, what to preach, with the incidental advice never to preach concrete acts, always to preach principles.

The author's insight and well-known power of vivid, concrete exposition of the business of life, which have commanded for him so extended a public outside the college and so large a following among the undergraduates, are admirably

shown in his latest volume. He pauses over abstract principles—and some may regret this—only long enough to adjust them to the reader's eye, who forthwith beholds the lives of men and God in a vision of glorious harmony; from which the eager observer turns with new regret to the actual situation. He is left with a vivid sense that here is a method of life, within the grasp of every man, fit to remove all our present dismaying social conflict; and that short of its use society must forever flounder and men despair. The expression of the thought reveals now and again the power of sententious statement for which the President of our College is becoming more and more noted.

When, however, he commits himself, as he seems to do on p. 243, to the pragmatic test of truth an opponent of this philosophy must speak out. This may be a mere inadvertence of language. Certainly the position is assumed without discussion and is not necessary to the main argument. No one objects to the pragmatic test for correct application of principles; but the pragmatism which seems to move so masterfully over the entire field of thought has yet to devise a pragmatic test for itself.

President Hyde is recognized as one of the leaders in liberal religious insight in this country. He is constructive in attitude and notably skillful in pointing out the tenable meanings that still belong to historic theological doctrines. This volume shows him again at the front, to persuade of the real meaning of religion and to defend it from the hands of its friends.

CHARLES T. BURNETT.

#### WHO'S WHO IN NEW ENGLAND

In a recent issue of the *Colby Echo* appeared a statement that that college has a total of 152 graduates in "Who's Who in New England" and that it is doubtful if any other New England college has as enviable a record. A member of the ORIENT staff has tabulated the number of Bowdoin graduates in the book in question, and found that a total of 454 graduates out of a possible 1351, who reside in New England, are listed in "Who's Who in New England" for 1916. This gives Bowdoin a percentage of 33.69, while Colby, according to the *Echo's* figures, has only 20 per cent. Lack of space forbids publishing a complete list of Bowdoin's graduates, but the number of men listed from each class is as follows: 1840, 1; 1841, 1; 1848, 2; 1850, 2; 1852, 2; 1854, 5; 1855, 1; 1856, 7; 1857, 10; 1858, 4; 1859, 4; 1860, 7; 1861, 10; 1862, 8; 1863, 4; 1864, 5; 1865, 3; 1866, 3; 1867, 5; 1868, 4; 1869, 8; 1870, 4; 1871, 3; 1872, 7; 1873, 12; 1874, 14; 1875, 11;

1876, 9; 1877, 13; 1878, 8; 1879, 9; 1880, 9; 1881, 15; 1882, 9; 1883, 9; 1884, 9; 1885, 9; 1886, 3; 1887, 9; 1888, 12; 1889, 10; 1890, 13; 1891, 20; 1892, 11; 1893, 10; 1894, 18; 1895, 17; 1896, 13; 1897, 11; 1898, 13; 1899, 7; 1900, 7; 1901, 7; 1902, 6; 1903, 4; 1904, 1; 1905, 3; 1906, 2; 1907, 2; 1908, 1; 1909, 3; 1910, 1; 1911, 1. Of the graduates of the Bowdoin Medical School 180 out of a possible 495 appear, making over 36 per cent. for that institution.

#### COLLECTIVE BUYING

During the winter several meetings of the treasurers of the eight chapter-house corporations and the stewards of the dining clubs have been held on the campus for the discussion of financial problems common to all the fraternities. These have led to the formation of an association, of which Professor Mitchell is President, Professor Cram, Secretary, and Mr. Furbish, Treasurer. The purpose of this association is to bring the corporations more closely together and to assist the club stewards in collective buying. In connection with the latter some interesting figures have been brought to light. During the year eight dining clubs use 15000 lbs. of sugar, 6204 lbs. of butter, 2440 lbs. of lard, 1170 bushels of potatoes and 139 barrels of flour. No count has yet been made of the number of sheep, oxen, calves, chickens, turkeys and pigs that are devoured in a year; but evidently the day when the anemic college student starved in a garret has long gone by.

#### BOWDOIN MEN AT HARVARD

##### GRADUATE SCHOOL

Bowdoin has been well represented at the Harvard Graduate School of Arts and Sciences in the past fifteen years. During that time, 121 Bowdoin men have pursued courses in the school, and there are only four colleges besides Harvard ahead of us in that respect. Dartmouth, Yale, Amherst and Brown, in the order named. There are fifteen Bowdoin men in the school at present, and thirteen others in the professional school.

#### THE SPRING RALLY

The annual spring rally was held last Friday evening in Memorial Hall. Music was furnished by the college band, and pipes and tobacco were supplied. Leadbetter '16, acting as chairman, introduced the following speakers: Coach Magee, Capt. McElwee '16, Professor Langley, and A. D. Welch '12, of Portland, all of whom predicted successful baseball and track seasons. College cheers were given at various intervals, led by Marston '17.



## Communication

Contributions are requested from all undergraduates, alumni and faculty. No anonymous contributions can be accepted.

*To the Editor of the ORIENT:*

In the last alumni number of the *ORIENT* friends of the college were asked to exert themselves personally and actively in sending to Bowdoin next fall men who could lend strength to the football squad. The renewal of such an appeal may be unnecessary, yet the need for such work seems imperative and the time of the year when it should prove most effective has arrived.

Of last year's squad scarcely half a dozen men will remain, and not all of these would rank as among the main supports of the team. In the present freshman class, excellent as it is in many ways, no man of 'varsity football calibre has yet been found. If next year's class is to be equally deficient in this respect, it is hard to see how a team capable of even moderate success is to be secured. There will be an excellent captain and, thanks to generous alumni effort, there will probably be an excellent coach, but coaches and captains cannot make material.

It is sometimes argued nowadays that the situation of the college and its standards of scholarship and amateurism leave to it only the alternatives of dropping football as an intercollegiate sport or resigning itself to an annual series of defeats. But neither alternative is a pleasant one nor one which the alumni will accept while any effort to get the right men in the right way remains untried. The right way is simple but not always an easy one. Individual alumni and groups of alumni must search the schools for the right men, must concentrate their efforts on them, must give actual time and labor in talking to them and showing them the things which only the small college can give and the things which Bowdoin can give more fully than any other college of its class. They can truthfully boast that it is a college in which rich boy and poor boy, city boy and country boy, scholar, athlete, musician and debater may all feel at home, where standing depends only upon worth and achievement—and where standing is worth while.

If they will tell such things, will show real, active and sustained interest in the boys they find, will give the college a chance to show its interest in them, will send these boys to see it or at least to study it, then surely the standing of Bowdoin in any sport may be as properly maintained as its standing in other respects. But all of this means steady work and work that cannot be put off. Perhaps to some of the friends of the col-

lege it may not seem worth while; perhaps they are doing all they can. Each must answer these questions for himself.

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## BASEBALL PROSPECTS

Bad weather has followed the baseball team persistently during the training season. Games with Harvard and Dartmouth were cancelled on account of weather, while conditions have not been good in any of the four games played thus far. Bowdoin enters the Maine championship series next Saturday with two victories and two defeats. Bowdoin won from Amherst 2 to 1 and from the Portland Eastern League team 3 to 1, but lost to Wesleyan 3 to 1 and to Bates in an exhibition game 9 to 3. With such meager data it is practically impossible to predict Bowdoin's chances in the state series.

The greatest weakness has been the hitting. Opposing pitchers have held Bowdoin batters helpless at times when hits were needed to score runs, and it is safe to say that if the batting is not improved the team will not be a strong factor in the Maine series. The fielding has been fairly good.

Coach Houser has made several changes in the lineup, but with two possible exceptions, second base and center field, the team will probably be the same that played in the Portland game last Saturday. Captain McElwee has been changed from short stop to first, while Bradford has gone from first to behind the bat. Finn, a freshman, has been playing a good game at short, while Donnell is again at third. Second base is one of the greatest problems to be solved. Several men have been tried there and the contest seems to have narrowed down to Larrabee and Kelley. Kelley played the position in a few games last year, while Larrabee has generally been used as outfielder or catcher. Chapman, who caught during the early practice, has been shifted to right field. Phillips is at his old position in left field. Goodskey and Merrill have been used in center field.

For pitchers, Bowdoin has Fraser, a veteran, and White and Butterfield, two freshmen, both of whom seem to "have the goods." Pendleton and Savage give promise of development in the box. In addition to the first string men, Bowdoin has several less experienced players who should be of 'varsity calibre in another year.

On the whole the team will be a good one. Little is known about the work of the other Maine teams, as they have been held back even more than Bowdoin by the weather.



The team is coached by Ben Houser, who last year coached Colby's championship nine. "Houser is a good man," says Keith Eaton, captain of Bowdoin's team last spring. "If anybody can get a championship with the material Colby had last spring, he must know something about the game and know how to teach it."

Houser has been in professional baseball for about ten years. In 1905 he broke into professional circles with the Louisville Club of the American Association and was then with Altoona, Pa., in an outlaw league for two years. In 1908 he was sent to Scranton, Penn., of the New York State League, and from there went to Toronto in the International League. In 1911 and 1912 he was on the Philadelphia Americans and in 1913 on the Boston Nationals and Baltimore. His big league experience has taught him the game thoroughly and he should develop a fast team.

### BATES 9, BOWDOIN 3

In an exhibition game at Auburn on Patriots' Day, Bowdoin lost to Bates by a score of 9 to 3. Bates got seventeen hits from the two Bowdoin pitchers, Fraser and Butterfield, while Purvure held Bowdoin to six. The game started with Bowdoin as the favorite and in the fourth inning the score stood 3 to 1 in their favor, but after that they failed to score. There was a shift in the line-up, Merrill playing at first, McElwee at second, and Larrabee playing part of the game in center field. Merrill made two hits, one a three bagger, and he brought in all three runs. Five errors were made by each team. For Bates, Logan lead the hitting, with four base hits out of five times at bat. This does not count as a game in the state series, but it gave an opportunity to size up the teams. The score:

#### BATES

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Duncan, 2b	4	1	0	4	3	1
Logan, 3b	5	2	4	1	0	1
McDonald, ss	5	2	1	3	1	2
Lord, c	4	1	2	5	2	0
Harvey, 1b	5	0	1	9	1	0
Davis, cf	5	1	2	3	1	0
Marston, lf	4	0	2	1	0	1
Swicker, rf	2	1	1	1	0	0
Davison, rf	5	1	2	0	0	0
Purvure, p	2	0	2	0	2	0
Totals	41	9	17	27	10	5

#### BOWDOIN

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Phillips, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Chapman, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
McElwee, 2b	3	0	1	4	2	0
Finn, ss	3	0	0	3	1	3
Donnell, 3b	4	1	0	2	2	0
Goodskey, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Larrabee, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Bradford, c	4	1	1	4	2	0
Merrill, 1b	4	0	2	10	3	0
Fraser, p	2	0	0	0	3	1
Butterfield, p	2	0	0	2	1	1
Totals	33	3	6	24	15	5

Bates ..... 1 0 0 0 3 1 1 3 x—9  
Bowdoin ..... 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 0 0—3  
Two base hits, Logan, Purvure, McDonald. Three base hits, Wicker, Merrill. Stolen bases, McElwee, Donnell, Lord, Harvey. Earned runs, Bowdoin 1, Bates 6. Sacrifice hits, Duncan, Marston. Double play, Fraser to Merrill to Bradford. Left on bases, Bowdoin 6, Bates 11. First base on errors, Bowdoin 2, Bates 4. Bases on balls, off Davidson 2, off Purvure, off Fraser. Hits, off Fraser 7 in 4 1-3 innings, off Butterfield 10 in 3 2-3 innings, off Davidson 6 in 5 innings, off Purvure 0 in 4 innings. Struck out, by Davidson 3, by Purvure 3, by Fraser 3. Umpire, Carrigan. Time, 2:05.

### BOWDOIN DEFEATS PORTLAND TEAM

Well bunched hits in the first inning gave Bowdoin a 3 to 1 victory over the Portland Eastern League team at Bayside Park in Portland Saturday. White pitched a good game for Bowdoin, allowing five hits. Bowdoin was weak in hitting, and after the first inning did not score. It was too cold a day for bringing out the best in the men. In the first inning, Phillips got a base hit and was advanced to second by Chapman's sacrifice. McElwee received a base on balls and Finn scored the pair with a two-bagger. Donnell was passed and Finn scored on an error. Burns scored for Portland in the third. Merrill played in center field and Kelley at second.

The score:

#### BOWDOIN

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Phillips, lf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Chapman, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
McElwee, 1b	3	0	1	4	0	0
Finn, ss	3	1	2	1	0	0
Donnell, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Merrill, cf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Bradford, c	3	0	0	10	0	0
Kelley, 2b	2	0	0	0	4	0
White, p	2	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	22	3	3	21	6	1

#### PORTLAND

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Clemens, rf	2	0	1	1	0	0
Burns, cf	2	1	0	2	0	0
Robinson, 1b	4	0	1	10	0	1
Brown, lf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Tamm, ss	2	0	2	0	2	1
Beaudoin, c	3	0	0	3	4	0
St. Peter, 2b	2	0	1	0	1	0
Mahoney, 3b	3	0	0	3	1	0
Jordan, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Plitt, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	24	1	5	21	9	2

#### Innings:

Bowdoin	3	0	0	0	0	0—3
Portland	0	0	1	0	0	0—1
Two base hit, Finn. Hits, off Jordan, 3 in 4 innings; off Plitt, 0 in 3 innings. Sacrifice hits, Phillips, Chapman. Stolen bases, Finn, Brown. Left on bases, Portland 7, Bowdoin 5. First base on balls, by Jordan 4, by Plitt, by White 2. Hit by pitcher, by White, Burns and St. Peter. Struck out, by Jordan 3, by Plitt 2, by White 8. Passed balls, Bradford, Beaudoin. Wild pitch, White. Time, 1:40. Umpire, Higgins.						

### BOWDOIN WINS DUAL MEET

The Bowdoin track team defeated Bates on Whittier Field last Saturday afternoon by a score of 84 to 42. The thermometer hovered around 50 degrees above zero and a strong east wind blew directly in the faces of the sprinters

and hurdlers preventing any fast time being made on the track. In spite of the cold, three dual meet field records were broken, two by Captain Leadbetter '16 in the 16 pound shot and the 16 pound hammer. White '17 cleared the bar at a height of 5 feet, 8.84 inches establishing not only a dual meet record but also a Bowdoin track record.

The 100 yard dash and 220 yard dash were run in the face of a strong, cold wind and consequently the times were poor. In the 220 yard dash no official time was taken owing to a misunderstanding among the officials. Webber '16 won both hurdle races easily.

Turner '19, who has been disabled with a spiked foot for the past week, drew the pole in the quarter and led the field until the home stretch when Lawrence of Bates passed him in a fine sprint.

One of the best races of the day was in the half mile between Crosby '17 and Boyd of Bates. In the second lap these two left the field and fought out the race to the finish. Boyd was unable to overcome Crosby's lead however.

The two mile was won easily by Gregory of Bates with Irving '16 and Turner '19 following. It is probable that Gregory could have made better time had he been pressed but Irving had just finished the mile and Turner had run a hard quarter. It was evident that Turner was having difficulty with his ankle in the last two laps but he stuck it out and came from fifth to third position.

A peculiar accident happened in the hammer throw. Captain Leadbetter '16 was making his turn when the handle broke and threw him to the ground. It gave him quite a bruise in the side but after a short rest he was able to compete in the discus. Young '17 stepped through a hurdle and was thrown to the ground, but was not seriously injured.

Bowdoin was strongest in the weights and weakest in the dashes. Out of the fourteen events, Bowdoin took ten and tied for another.

Following is the summary:

100 Yard Dash: Won by Barrow (Bates); second, tied between Quimby (Bates) and Pirnie (Bowdoin.) Time, 11 seconds.

160 Yard Dash: Won by Irving (Bowdoin); second, Fillmore (Bowdoin); third, Doe (Bates). Time, 5 minutes, 4 seconds.

120 Yard High Hurdles: Won by Webber (Bowdoin); second, Coleman (Bates); third, White, (Bowdoin). Time, 17 3-5 seconds.

440 Yard Dash: Won by Lawrence (Bates); second, Turner (Bowdoin); third, Wyman (Bowdoin). Time, 56 seconds.

880 Yard Run: Won by Crosby (Bowdoin); second, Boyd (Bates); third, Snow (Bates). Time, 2 minutes, 10 2-5 seconds.

220 Yard Dash: Won by Savage (Bowdoin); second, Pirnie (Bowdoin); third, Connors (Bates). No time taken.

220 Yard Low Hurdles: Won by Webber (Bowdoin); second, Coleman (Bates); third, Leighton (Bowdoin). Time, 28 1-5 seconds.

Two Mile Run: Won by Gregory (Bates); second, Irving (Bowdoin); third, Turner (Bowdoin). Time, 10 minutes, 34 4-5 seconds.

Running High Jump: Won by White (Bowdoin), height, 5 feet, 8.84 inches. (Dual meet and Bowdoin record). Second, Fenning (Bowdoin), height, 5 feet, 6 inches. Third, Quimby (Bates), height, 5 feet, 5 inches.

Putting 16 Pound Shot: Won by Leadbetter (Bowdoin), distance, 41.18 feet. (Dual meet record). Second, Adams (Bates), distance, 36.32 feet. Third, Stanley (Bowdoin), distance 35.63 feet.

Broad Jump: First place a tie between Hall (Bowdoin) and Keaney (Bates), distance, 21 feet, 2 1/4 inches. Third, White (Bowdoin), distance, 21 feet, 1 inch.

Throwing 16 Pound Hammer: Won by Leadbetter (Bowdoin), distance 146.2 feet. (Dual meet record). Second, Colbath (Bowdoin), distance, 119.68 feet. Third, Moulton (Bowdoin), distance 117.24 feet.

Pole Vault: Won by Sampson (Bowdoin), height 10 feet, 6 inches. Second, tied between Drew (Bates), Millward (Bates), and Tucker (Bates), height 10 feet, 5 inches.

Discus Throw: Won by Moulton (Bowdoin), distance 119.45 feet. Second, Leadbetter (Bowdoin), distance 114.21 feet. Third, Pinkham (Bates), distance 110.5 feet.

## SHAKESPEARE EXERCISES

### AT EASTER CHAPEL

The tercentenary of Shakespeare's death was observed at the Sunday chapel vespers. Professor Elliott spoke briefly on the great dramatist, dealing principally with his qualities of kindness and justice portrayed in so many of his plays. He also remarked that England and Germany, though now at swords' points, both reverence Shakespeare. President Hyde announced that a critical edition of *Macbeth*, based on the first folio edition of the play, has been prepared by Professor Johnson, and will be a part of Bowdoin's memorial to the poet, though the book will not appear until this summer. There was special Easter music at the service.

## THOMAS MOTT OSBORNE

## ON "PRISON REFORM"

Before an enthusiastic audience of students and townspeople that filled every seat in Memorial Hall, Thomas Mott Osborne, foremost authority on penal problems in America, spoke last Wednesday on the subject, "Prison Reform." His humor and his stories of personal experiences with the prisoners and touching human anecdotes added much to the interest of the address.

Warden Osborne described particularly the conditions which he found existing in the prison at Auburn, N. Y. He divided the evils which he found there under eight heads which are briefly as follows: (1) the long period of confinement in a small, damp cell; (2) the vice and use of drugs by the prisoners as a result of such inactivity; (3) the poor distribution of labor in which a man does not get the branch of work for which he is most fitted, and receives no return for what he does; (4) the perpetual silence which permits no conversation and which is depressing and thoroughly inhuman; (5) the everlasting monotony of the prisoner's life; (6) espionage on the part of guards and "trusties" who double-cross their fellow prisoners to their own advantage; (7) the brutality of the guards; (8) unwillingness to trust the prisoner in anything, with its demoralizing effect. Mr. Osborne then outlined the system which he introduced in the New York State prisons with such signal success. In the first place everything was put on the broad general principle that all men are to be trusted to the utmost. He permitted conversation among the prisoners. He gave them better sanitary and working conditions. And as a most radical step, he encouraged the organization of the so-called Mutual Welfare League, a league for the promotion of good conduct in the prison. It was made up entirely of the men themselves with officers of their own, and with a misdemeanor court presided over by convict judges.

At the same gathering Austin H. MacCormick '15 told in an interesting and humorous fashion of his week of voluntary imprisonment at Thomaston last summer. He dealt chiefly with the bad conditions which existed there, saying that the lack of food, poor sanitation, imprisonment in small cells and the lack of freedom for the men should not be tolerated and he advocated the prison farm idea where clean conditions might exist and plenty of food be raised. He also spoke of the need of teaching men elementary subjects to fit them for the world when they are free again.

## NEW COURSES IN GOVERNMENT

The Faculty, for some time, has been considering ways by which greater interest may be aroused, among undergraduates, in present day problems and good citizenship.

With this end in view the courses in government have been expanded and reorganized. Beginning with the year 1916-1917, the following courses will be offered:

Government 1, 2. An elementary, basic course in American national, state and local government. Open only to Freshmen and Sophomores.

Government 3. Municipal government. Limited to ten students.

Government 4. An advanced course in American constitutional government. Elective for Juniors and Seniors. This course will give place, 1917-1918, to a course in International Relations. (Government 6).

In addition to the courses listed under Government, History 8 is devoted largely to a comparative study of present day European governments.

A comparison of the above with the curriculum given in the current catalogue, reveals two important changes. The first is the addition of a course in International Relations. This course includes a study of: the law of nations; the laws of war and peace; rights and duties of neutrals; the arbitration and the "world peace" movements; and the methods and principles of the foreign policy of the United States. It provides a means of emphasizing in the curriculum the factors that make for good will among nations and puts into tangible form a principle embodied in the recent Faculty resolutions on "preparedness."

The more important change, however, is the addition of a year's course in government to the Freshman-Sophomore curriculum. What reasons may be given to justify such an innovation?

First: A full year is allotted to the course in order that European systems may be introduced by way of comparison, and that due consideration may be given to the problems of state and local government. This latter feature meets the growing demand for a general course in municipal government. Another advantage is that a much more general use may be made of the valuable materials in the "Bureau for Research in Municipal Government."

Second: It opens to the Freshmen a course clearly distinct, both as to matter and method,



from the kind of work they have been doing in the preparatory school.

Third: It provides a training valuable as a foundation for the more advanced courses in government and history. The students are taught how to use the library, collect and handle material, make investigations, write reports on special topics, and use newspapers and current periodicals.

Fourth: The chief end in view, however, is to reveal to the student, as early as possible in his college course, the vital political problems confronting the society of which he is a member; to arouse an abiding personal interest in such problems, and an eagerness for their further study; to develop, early in his college course, the habit of reading in the daily paper something other than the sporting page; to interest the student, at the beginning rather than at the end of his college course in the great public questions about which he, as an American citizen, should be thinking, and for the solution of which he should be training.

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OCCUPATIONS OF BOWDOIN ALUMNI FOR  
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	1806-'55	'56-'80	'81-'06	Total
Lawyers .....	416	272	233	921
Teachers .....	163	139	212	514
Ministers .....	245	101	61	407
Physicians .....	122	110	165	397
Merchants .....	48	26	23	97
Authors and Journalists .....	39	26	31	96
Manufacturers ....	14	26	36	76
Engineers .....	12	26	20	58
Gov't Employees ...		20	22	42
Agriculturalists ....	21	13	4	38
Bankers .....	12	11	3	26
Scientists .....	1	10	11	22
Army and Navy ...	6	7	3	16
Druggists .....	4	2	9	15
Librarians .....		3	8	11
Dentists .....	2	1	8	11
Publishers .....	4	4	3	11
Sea Captains .....	5	1		6
Artists .....	1	1	2	4
Foresters .....			4	4
Architects .....			3	3
Other Business ....	50	87	91	228

GROUNDINGS AND BUILDINGS

The past twenty-five years have wrought a wonderful change in the purely physical aspects of our college. From the standpoint of numbers

and curriculum Bowdoin College is quite a different institution we all know; in its working equipment similar progress has been steadily maintained,—a progress that has been slow but in the end, definite and adequate.

During this period of twenty-five years four large buildings have been added to our equipment, each as perfect in its way and as well adapted to its purpose as the scientific progress of its time could make it. The Walker Art Building leaves nothing to be said in point of artistic and technical perfection; our art treasures are not only adequately housed, they are also securely guaranteed against loss and destruction for many years to come.

In the Searles Science Building and Hubbard Hall the college provided accommodations for the rapidly expanding intellectual demands of the institution. Science advanced with tremendous strides during these twenty-five years. The slight, antiquated equipment of the '80's was not at all adequate to the demands of the '90's; the Searles Science Building became a necessity and without it we could not even imagine Bowdoin College of today. And so it was with the need of a common intellectual center for the institution which resulted in General Hubbard's magnificent gift to his alma mater. Finally, only a year or two ago, came the Alumni Gymnasium and Hyde Athletic Building, built to meet the demands of the athletic interests of the college which had grown out of all proportion to the equipment which we possessed. These four buildings alone represent an expenditure of more than \$600,000; together with the older buildings which had constituted the working plant of former days, the physical equipment of Bowdoin College has a total valuation of more than \$1,000,000. True, our needs are not all met—not yet, for we should possess in addition to what we now have a modern dormitory, a well equipped infirmary, and a building devoted exclusively to recitation purposes. These three buildings constitute our sole problem for the future as far as physical equipment is concerned.

Nor is this all the change that has been wrought. Outside of the college campus a secondary group of buildings has sprung into existence—the chapter houses of the Greek letter fraternities, eight buildings in all, representing a total expenditure of more than \$100,000. These houses are independent of the college proper and are owned and operated by the local fraternities, organized into corporate bodies for the purpose of housing and feeding the members of the various college fraternities. Although in a strictly legal sense independent of the college,



these houses form a very necessary and serviceable adjunct to the college itself.

But with the possession of such an extensive and valuable physical equipment goes the unavoidable duty of heating, lighting and maintaining the same. This is not a slight task. The buildings and grounds of the college require constant attention and are an item of large expense. How many of our alumni—or, as a matter of fact, of the student body—realize that the lighting, heating and maintaining of our buildings and grounds require a regular working force of about twenty men and an annual expenditure of nearly \$30,000; and this sum does not include any extraordinary charges for special repairs. Merely to illustrate how thoroughly the institution cares for these very necessary details, it may be stated that the college employs regularly one general superintendent, two carpenters, one plumber and electrician, one chief engineer and two firemen, one head janitor and six assistants, besides two or three men whose duty it is to keep the grounds clean and attractive. The wage list of these men alone is more than \$13,000 annually.

From a central heating plant the college furnishes heat and light to the various buildings, and, at night, illuminates its grounds. The mains, returns and vacuum pipes in our heating system, taken together and placed end to end, would cover a distance of nearly two miles. From the exhaust steam generated in heating our plant we furnish the electricity for lighting our buildings and grounds. The annual coal bill of the college is nearly \$7,000.

"Ah yes!" the graduate of twenty-five or thirty years' standing will say, "All this is very different from what it was in my day. Then the ash heaps stood five feet high at the dormitory 'ends,' and the small college recitation rooms were heated by air-tight stoves." True! Every word of it is true. The college has been transformed during these twenty-five years. Side by side with the increase in numbers and the extension of courses has gone the development of the physical and visible college, and it is the wonderful progress that has been made in this respect that appeals to the alumnus who returns after long years of absence. Thirty years ago the unsightly ash heaps littered our doorways, and the grass grew tall and rank on the college campus. Commonly it was mowed once, at haying time, then left during the summer months as a convenient and inexpensive pasture ground for the janitor's cows. The dormitory "ends" were dirty and unattractive; the college recitation rooms too often equally unsanitary and ill-kept. Some twenty-five years ago a caustic reporter reminded us in no doubtful

terms of our grimy and unkempt appearance. Should the same reporter return today, he would have a different "story" to write. Each day of the college year—while the college is in session—the dormitory and class rooms are swept and thoroughly dusted. During the pleasant spring and summer months the campus lawns are mowed with great regularity and tended with the same care as is devoted to a well-kept city park; in winter the paths are kept free from snow and as clear from ice and water as the climate will permit.

But it is during the weeks of the long summer vacation that the college has its golden opportunity to clean and repair; then the college buildings present a busy appearance. Janitors, plasterers, paper-hangers and painters work chaos through the dormitories and class rooms only to bring them forth bright and attractive before the opening of the winter semester. But there are many other things to be done besides the mere details of the annual house cleaning. Buildings are to be restored without as well as within. Walks are to be built and paths repaired. The trees on the campus demand constant pruning and attention; the old trees must be removed and new ones planted in their places. The timber in the college woods must be cut when ripe and new growth planted to replace the old. During the past ten years the reforestation of the college lands has been going on steadily and is not even yet completed. We must never be content to think merely of the college of today; we are constantly reminded that we are building a college for tomorrow. And all this that Bowdoin College may be a well-balanced institution; that the intellectual and physical may advance side by side, and hand in hand. This care for cleanliness and order has had its direct influence upon the institution and the student body, not merely from an aesthetic standpoint but in a purely practical way. The waves of disorder and destruction of college property which swept over the college at regular intervals thirty years ago, are past and gone for good. The spirit of order and cleanliness has spread to the students and is apparent on every hand. The student body of today is orderly and well-mannered, instinctively opposed to unseemly conduct and the willful destruction of college property. This change of attitude is commendable in the highest degree; it is due to various influences, not the least of which is the example of good order and cleanliness gradually developed in that department of our college activities known as Grounds and Buildings.

G. T. F.

## PSI UPSILON BANQUET

Sixty members of the Psi Upsilon fraternity were present at a reunion and banquet of the fraternity at the Falmouth Hotel in Portland April 18. Members of the chapters at Bowdoin, Amherst, Brown, Minnesota, Dartmouth, Union and New York University were present. Professor George T. Files '89, was toastmaster and Dr. Charles T. Burnett, Amherst '95, led the singing. Joseph Whitney '00 gave a number of vocal solos. The speakers were Howard R. Ives '98, George E. Fogg '02, Dwight H. Sayward '16, and Richard Webb, Dartmouth '85.

## THE PROVIDENCE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Members of the Bowdoin Alumni Association of Providence held their annual dinner and business meeting on March 29 at the University Club, re-electing Dr. H. W. Kimball, President, A. A. French, Vice President, and Dr. Murray S. Danforth, Secretary and Treasurer. The two speakers of the evening were Professor Mitchell, who represented the college, and Professor William MacDonald of Brown, who was Professor of History at Bowdoin for seven years. The members present were Dr. H. W. Kimball, Dr. W. H. Dyer, Dr. A. M. Merriman, G. C. Minard, E. L. Adams, Ralph Davison, Dr. G. E. Simpson, Dr. M. S. Danforth, Ralph Greenlaw, Grant Pierce, H. D. Gilbert, A. P. Ward, Raymond A. Tuttle, L. D. Lincoln, Dr. C. S. Cristy, Dr. D. S. Latham, Dr. Henry Johnson, Edwin Johnson, H. A. Andrews, A. A. French, F. H. Swan, and Dr. H. M. King, '59, one of the oldest graduates of the college.

## IRA PEIRCE BOOKER

Ira Peirce Booker, for many years treasurer of Bowdoin College, died at his home in Brunswick on March 20. He was 83 years of age and had been ill for several months. For more than 43 years Mr. Booker was connected with the college. In 1869, he was elected secretary of the board of overseers, which position he held until 1891. In 1890, he became assistant to the college treasurer, Professor Stephen J. Young, and at the latter's death four years later, he became treasurer, holding that office until 1913. In 1910 the college conferred upon him the degree of A. M. Mr. Booker will be pleasantly remembered by many Bowdoin graduates as an honest, painstaking, genial official of the college. He was prominent in the affairs of the town and will be missed there as at the college.

## Alumni Notes

'40.—Rev. Dr. Edward Robie, the oldest alumnus of Bowdoin College, and the third oldest college graduate in New England, celebrated his 95th birthday on the 5th day of this month. After his graduation from Bowdoin he spent three years in the Andover Theological Seminary, and then went to Europe where he studied at Halle and Berlin for three more years. Upon his return to the United States in 1846 he became an instructor in languages at Gorham Academy. In 1852 he entered upon the duties of pastor of the Congregational Church at Greenland, N. H., and since then has not changed his pastorate. In 1876 the degree of D.D. was conferred on him by Dartmouth College. Dr. Robie is still in good health.

'57.—Dr. Thomas U. Coe of Bangor is spending the winter in New York City.

'57.—Edward B. Merrill has given up active practise of law. His residence is 116 Waverly Place, New York City.

'58.—"This somewhat eccentric class, which offers no apology for living so long, and does not propose to die yet awhile, salutes *Alma Mater* and intends to make this year another try for the Snow trophy which it won at its jubilee performance. There are six survivors, who, like Capt. Corcoran, are 'in reasonable health,' and all within striking distance of Bowdoin's whispering pines; and they intend to strike home for the cup. They are, Bradley of Chicago, Cilley of Rockland, Drew of Lewiston, Smith of Lawrence, Mass., and Spear and Jordan of Washington, D. C.—a good working team in the fight for the trophy. When this class was graduated it numbered 41 members, and it is of interest to many to know that 14 of them became commissioned officers in the Civil War—four of whom rose to the rank of General, namely: Cilley, Fessenden, Spear and Thomas. So it is the remnant of a fighting crew that is in for the cup this year.

H. M. J., Sec. '58."

'59.—Rev. Horatio O. Ladd is spending the winter in Washington, D. C., residing, while there, at the Brunswick.

"The class of 1860 graduated 55 students of whom 11 survive. Rev. Nicholas E. Boyd, president of the class since its graduation, lives at Berkeley, Cal. He is the only clergyman in the class now living. It is said the good die early; he is an exception to the rule. He is a free religionist; Dr. Smyth would question his Orthodoxy.

Dr. Alvin F. Bucknam of Warren, Ill., is a distinguished physician, full of service in his town,

writing for the papers always on the righteous side, lecturing on peace throughout his vicinity, a leader in every civic improvement.

Samuel M. Came is a prominent lawyer in Alfred, Me. He is good enough to be a minister but exactly in his place as a lawyer.

Augustine Jones of Newton Highlands, Mass., is a lawyer and teacher; with excellent health and youthful ardor he enters his second childhood.

Capt. Ezekiel R. Mayo of Smethport, Pa., is a successful lawyer, prominent in every public service.

Dr. Joseph N. Metcalf of Cunningham, Montgomery Co., Tenn., has devoted his life to ministering to the sick in body and soul.

Augustus W. Oliver of Oakland, Cal., is full of enthusiasm about Old Bowdoin and his class, as every member is. He is a herald of peace, well-seasoned, a strong advocate.

David O. Stetson of Portland, Oregon, is in good health and happy, 'plays no football, has not been run over by autos; thinks most women do not care to vote.'

Hon. Joseph W. Symonds of Portland, Maine, is one of the greatest and best of us. Scholar, lawyer, judge, he has adorned everything he has touched.

Hon. William Widgery Thomas of Stockholm, Sweden, is loyal to the class and to Old Bowdoin. Distance does not limit his deep affection. He has done for us all great honor. Secretary John Hay wrote to him when he was United States Minister to Sweden: 'You have had the longest, the most distinguished and most useful term of service in Sweden and Norway that any American ever had.'

Captain Francis W. Webster, Ione, State of Washington, is vigorous, able to do wonderful labors without fatigue. He writes: 'What a change there has been at old Bowdoin.' 'I don't know if the new curriculum turns out better men than the old Greek, Latin and Mathematics but it should turn out men physically stronger.'

AUGUSTINE JONES, *Sec'y.*

'61.—The book completed by Dr. Merritt C. Fernald shortly before his death, is now ready to go to press. This work, which is a history of the University of Maine, will contain about 400 well illustrated pages. Dr. Fernald was connected with the University from its beginning and was for 14 years its president.

'64.—The class of 1864, which celebrated its 50th anniversary two years ago, is fast diminishing. Only six survivors were then able to be present. The class turned out a fine group of able lawyers, of whom Frederick Hunt Appleton

is the only one now living. Owen W. Davis, Augustus F. Libby, Franklin Littlefield, and Charles A. Robbins, who are all still living, have been successful in business enterprises. William Pierson, D.D., of Somerville, Mass., is the class secretary. Nahum Grover, at 80 years of age, Henry N. W. Hoyt, and Alonzo P. Wright are the only others of the class now living.

Wm. H. Pierson, *Sec. '64.'*

*ex-'67.*—The Troy, New York, *Times* has this high tribute to a member of Bowdoin '67:—

"How the success of the teacher depends upon the union of the qualities of mind and heart was well illustrated in the case of Professor Dwinel F. Thompson of the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, who has just retired from teaching after a service at that institution of nearly forty-five years. Professor Thompson was more than a catechist, more than a mere drillmaster. He entered the social life of the Institute, and particularly its athletic features, with that comradeship which when backed by personal dignity enhances rather than diminishes the respect of pupils. It is because Professor Thompson sympathized with lives as well as with lines, and was a promoter of friendship as well as a propounder of knowledge, that he remained so long a guide and counselor in the affairs of the Institute."

"'66.—Since the issue of the last alumni number of the *ORIENT* the class has suffered a grievous loss in the death of its most distinguished member, John Jacob Herrick. He was born 25 May, 1845, in Hillsboro, Ill., and died 29 January, 1916, in Chicago. His father was Dr. William B. Herrick, professor of anatomy in the Rush Medical College, and president of the Illinois Medical Society; his mother was a sister of Dr. Hosmer A. Johnson, professor of medicine in the Chicago Medical College, and one of the most prominent physicians in the United States; and his own career fully sustained any anticipations aroused by the fame of his kinsmen in the former generation.

After graduation he passed through the Chicago Law School, and immediately entered upon the practice of his profession in Chicago. His ability and fidelity were quickly recognized, and his advancement to the front rank was very rapid. For many years he was acknowledged leader in the legal profession of his region, was president of the Chicago Bar Association, and senior partner in the noted firm of Herrick, Allen and Martin. The breadth of his interests is indicated by his membership in many professional, social and athletic clubs. Three daughters survive him:—Mrs. Arthur Havemeyer, Miss Julie T. Herrick, and Mrs. Donald M. Forgan. Two



years before his own death that of his charming and beloved wife occurred with tragic suddenness; but he endured the shock with perfect and heroic fortitude. To one who properly appraised the attributes of the man his phenomenal success could not seem wonderful. His manner was quiet and dignified, but engaging; his personality inspired confidence, which the event proved was not misplaced; his character was of the highest, his honor unimpeachable; his devotion to the interests confided to him was absolute. To his native talent were added scholarship, great learning, and, what is more rare, wisdom. His career was a constant example for his juniors to follow, and he was on all hands admired, trusted, honored, and revered. The enumeration of his splendid qualities, however, conveys but an imperfect impression of the real man, and needs to be supplemented by an appreciation of the lovable traits, which were so manifest to the few who had the privilege of his friendship, and particularly in the tender intimacy of domestic relations. The memory of this noble, affectionate brilliant man will ever be cherished as a precious heritage by all who knew him.

F. H. G."

'69.—Ex-Governor Henry B. Quincy of New Hampshire, is in New York for the winter and spring. His address there is 254 Edmonton Street.

'70.—Orville B. Grant is editor and proprietor of *The Greenup Press*, Illinois, a flourishing journal. Two stalwart sons are in business with him. Of the sixteen living members of the class he is one of seven who are seventy years old or better. He has never carried a cane since Sophomore year.

'70.—Charles H. Moore of Chicago, the youngest surviving member of the class, has been connected with R. G. Dunn & Co. for twenty-eight years. He is a most prosperous business man.

'70.—Erastus F. Redman of the Stork Company, Broad Street, Boston, finds successful life made up of days of continuous sunshine. "Like Moore," says one of his classmates, "he always was a happy kid."

'70.—Davis T. Timberlake, after thirty-five years of continuous service as a teacher, now finds pleasant recreation in serving the people of Lancaster, N. H., in honorable official positions. Following the example of his classmates, Woodward, Oakes, Roberts and Redman, he sent a son to Bowdoin.

'70.—Edward B. Weston, for forty years a successful physician in Chicago—a part of the time lecturer in Rush Medical College—is justly proud of five grandchildren living in California.

His son, a prominent photographer of the country, has won highest honors in Paris and London.

'70.—Alonzo G. Whitman, who retired from teaching two years ago after forty years as principal of the Melrose, Mass., High School, is enjoying well earned rest in the midst of hosts of friends. Some of his former pupils are now grandparents. He and his wife spent last year in California. Like Weston of the class, he is a famous archer.

'70.—Edward C. Woodward has resided in Colorado since 1883, having long been recognized as the leading assayer and chemist in the state. His son graduated at Bowdoin and his daughter at Wellesley. He still votes as he talked in college.

'71.—Edmund C. Cole has lived many years at Warner, N. H., he is editor of the local paper, principal of the high school, and assistant in all good works.

'71.—Edward P. Mitchell is editor-in-chief of the *New York Sun* and president of the corporation. He lives at Glen Ridge, N. J.

'71.—Augustine Simmons has lived till now at North Anson, Me., as a lawyer. For some years he has been Judge of Probate in his county. He is seen at Bowdoin Commencements as often as he can get there.

'71.—Everett S. Stackpole has nearly completed a four-volume History of New Hampshire, which will be published in the autumn. He is now residing in Concord, N. H.

'73.—Hon. George Evans Hughes, of Bath, a former Mayor of that city, died at his home, April 7th. Mr. Hughes was born in Boston, Mass., January 19, 1851. After his graduation from Bowdoin he became the principal of the High School in Bath and served in this capacity until 1884. Under his regime many pupils were graduated who have since become prominent in the fields of art, music, and science; among them Mme. Emma Eames de Gogorza.

In 1884 Mr. Hughes was admitted to the practice of law, and from that time until two years ago, when ill health compelled him to take a rest, he was exceedingly active in his profession. During his entire legal career he was consulted by Democratic leaders throughout the State. He was chairman of the State committee from 1894 to 1904 and during a part of that time was the Maine member of the National committee. He attended many National conventions either as a delegate, a committeeman, or an interested spectator. In 1907 and 1908 he was Mayor of Bath, and in the latter year he had no Republican opposition.

Mr. Hughes was a member of the Grace Episcopal Church and for a quarter of a century was



clerk of the parish.

'74.—John Boyden resides in Tamworth, N. H., where he has for many years been engaged in farming.

'74.—Walter T. Goodale is still practising medicine in Saco, Me., where he is one of the leading practitioners.

'74.—Edward O. Howard is a lawyer at 89 State Street, Boston.

'74.—Dr. Daniel O. S. Lowell has taught in the Roxbury Latin School in Boston since 1884, and since 1909 has been head-master. His activities in many other lines mark him as one of the most prominent members of the class.

'74.—Edward N. Merrill of Skowhegan is one of the prominent lawyers of Central Maine, and has practised with conspicuous success in all parts of the State.

'74.—William M. Payson has his law office at the Equitable Building, in Boston.

'74.—Arthur L. Perry is still at Gardiner in law and real estate.

'74.—C. A. Pike has been Judge in Durango County, Colorado, for more than a generation.

'74.—George B. Wheeler is President of a National Bank in Eau Claire, Wis.

'75.—The selectmen of Brunswick have received from William J. Curtis of New York, a check for \$1000, to be held in trust, the income to be paid to the Captain John Curtis Memorial Library for the care of the grounds. The sum is to be added to the trust fund created several years ago by Mr. Curtis, in memory of his mother. Mr. Curtis is the donor of the library, which was given in memory of his father.

'76.—Professor Arlo Bates of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has been in Egypt since last October.

*ex-'76.*—Jere Millan is now in the lumber business in Eureka, Cal.

'76.—George T. Prince is a civil engineer in Omaha, Neb.

'76.—Allen E. Rogers has removed to San Diego, Cal., where he is practising law. His address is 528 Granger Block.

'76.—J. E. Sewall is a retired ship-master and is now living in Bath, Me.

'77-'79.—An aeroplane defence of the long and irregular coastal lines of the United States, including New Orleans and all of the Gulf Coast, as well as the entire Pacific and the Atlantic seaboard, is being worked out by a commission of leading officials and citizens, under the direction of Robert E. Peary. The organization in charge of this important national project is the National Aerial Patrol Commission, with headquarters in Washington. Mr. Peary is chairman of the com-

mission, which includes Senator Charles F. Johnson '77, of Maine. The entire system will provide for about fifty aerial stations, and it is estimated that the cost will be \$500,000.

'81.—Edward E. Briry of Bath, Me., has been an invalid for a number of years.

'81.—Carroll E. Harding is still in Baltimore, Md., where he has been preaching the gospel for nearly thirty years.

'81.—Carleton Sawyer, a physician in Foxboro, Mass., is just recovering from a very severe illness.

'81.—Albert C. Cobb and John O. P. Wheelwright are lawyers in Minneapolis, Minn., where they have been in partnership since 1885.

'81.—John W. Wilson is examiner for the Clearing House Association of Los Angeles, Cal.

'83.—Dr. Charles W. Packard has left New York and is now established in Stratford, Conn.

'83.—William A. Perkins is principal of Woodstock Academy, Woodstock, Conn.

'85.—Hon. John A. Peters is a member of Congress from the third district of Maine.

*ex-'85.*—Hon. Richard Webb is a candidate for the Republican nomination for member of Congress from the first district of Maine.

'86.—As reported in the last ORIENT, Dr. Charles A. Davis, Geologist of the Bureau of Mines, died at his residence in Washington, D. C., on April 9,—the third member of the class who has died this year. This class has been especially unfortunate in the loss of its members. Two died while they were in college; and of the twenty men who graduated thirty years ago next June only nine are now living.

'87.—Dr. Henry M. Moulton of Cumberland, who has been a senator from Cumberland County in three Legislatures, and once a representative, is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for sheriff. Dr. Moulton was born in Canton in 1863. After graduating from Bowdoin he studied medicine at Dartmouth and received his degree from that institution in 1889.

'90.—Hon. Henry H. Hastings and Ethel M. Richardson were married in Portland on Feb. 16. Mr. Hastings is one of the leading lawyers of Oxford County and is well known throughout the state, having been a member of both houses of the Legislature, and is at present secretary of the state Republican committee. He has always taken an active interest in town affairs, serving as superintendent of schools for many years and later as a member of the school board. Miss Richardson is one of Bethel's successful teachers. Mr. and Mrs. Hastings will make their home in Bethel, Me.

'94.—Francis A. Frost is one of the editors of

the New York Morning Sun and resides at 422 West 115th Street, New York City.

'94.—Charles A. Flagg, librarian of the Bangor library, has been appointed a member of the new advisory committee on the Dewey Decimal Classification, by the President of the American Library Association.

'94.—Emery H. Sykes was married to Miss Lillian Florence Stemler, on March 17, 1915. They reside at 33 Belair Road, Clifton, L. I. Mr. Sykes practises law as one of the staff of Sullivan and Cromwell, 49 Wall Street, New York City.

'95.—Thomas V. Doherty of Houlton has been recently nominated by Governor Curtis as a trustee of the University of Maine, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of William A. Martin. The term is for seven years. Mr. Doherty is a native of Caribou, is a prominent member of the Aroostook County bar, and a senior member of the law firm of Doherty and Hopkins of Houlton.

After his graduation from Bowdoin he studied law with the firm of Williamson and Burleigh of Augusta. Later he went to Butte, Mont., where for three years, from 1900 until 1903, he practised law; in the latter year he returned to Houlton. He has been prominent in the Democratic politics of Aroostook county, and has been his party's candidate for judge of probate, county attorney and representative to the Legislature.

'95.—Professor Harvey W. Thayer of Princeton University, had some very interesting experiences while travelling in Germany, France, Italy, and England, and also in the out-of-the-way countries of Herzegovina, Bosnia and Montenegro, all after the outbreak of the great European war.

'96.—Charles T. Stone, who for four years had charge of Raymond Whitcomb's business in London, Eng., is now principal of New Brunswick, N. J., High School.

'97.—Samuel P. Ackley is located in San Francisco, Cal., as secretary of the B. F. Sturtevant Co., manufacturers of blowers, ventilating apparatus, etc. His address is 759 Monadnock Building.

'97.—Stephen O. Andros is engaged in making a survey of the coal resources of the State of Illinois. This survey is being made by the United States Government and the State of Illinois, in cooperation. His address is Urbana, Ill.

'97.—Professor George M. Brett of the College of the City of New York, is giving special courses this year in foreign exchange, accountancy, and along other business lines.

'97.—Archie S. Harriman is principal of the High School, Middlebury, Vermont.

'97.—J. William Hewitt has been connected with the faculty of Wesleyan University for the past ten years. He is now professor of Classics. He is located at No. 25 College Place, Middletown, Conn.

'97.—Rev. Hugh McCallum has been located in Simsbury, Conn., for the past five years as pastor of the Congregational Church.

'97.—John H. Morse, M.D., is an oculist and aurist in Minneapolis, Minn. His address is 314 Syndicate Building.

'97.—Rev. John H. Quint, D.D., is pastor of the Congregational Church in Chelsea, Mass.

'97.—Frank A. Stearns has been in Hot Springs, Ark., since graduation. He is now the active head of the Winnington-Stearns Co., one of the largest hardware concerns in the southwest.

'98.—Albert C. Eames is now manager of the North Coast Claim Division of the Maryland Casualty Co.; his address is 910 Chamber of Commerce, Portland, Oregon.

'99.—Leon B. Leavitt has been promoted from the Hartford Office of the firm of Bertron, Griscom and Co., Bankers, to their New York office at 40 Wall Street, where he has an important position. He resides at the Hotel Holly, 36 Washington Square.

'00.—Everett B. Stackpole, son of Dr. Everett S. Stackpole '71, enlisted in the Princess Patricia Light Infantry, was transferred to the Canadian Scottish and was wounded in France, August 29, 1915, by the explosion of a shell, a fragment of which lodged between the right eye and ear. After some months in the hospital he was honorably discharged for neurasthenia produced by the shell explosion and is now in Seattle, Wash., slowly recovering.

'02.—Richard B. Dole, a chemist with United States Geological Survey, is joint author of a pamphlet on Ground Water Supply in Lasalle and McMullen Counties, Texas.

'02.—The Liberty National Bank has moved into its fine new quarters in the Equitable Building, 120 Broadway, New York City. Harvey D. Gibson is vice-president of this bank.

'02.—The Harrison K. McCann Co., of which Harrison K. McCann is president, has moved into more commodious quarters in the new Adams Express Building, 61 Broadway, New York City.

'03.—George H. Stover has resumed his old position in the important work of the Bureau of Municipal Research, 261 Broadway, New York City. He resides in New Dorp, Staten Island.

ex-'03.—Rev. Haraden S. Pearl has resigned as pastor of the First Congregational Church of

Belfast, Me. Mr. Pearl was granted a leave of absence over three months ago on account of ill health, and is now at his former home in Bangor.

'04.—John W. Frost has been promoted to the Banking Department of the Brooklyn branch of the Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 196 Montague Street.

'04.—Wallace M. Powers has left the Tribune to be the advertising and writing wizard of the Triangle Film productions.

'05.—The last issue of the *Garnet*, the Union College year book, was dedicated to Stanley P. Chase of the Union faculty. The dedicatory note reads "To Stanley P. Chase, A.B., Ph.D. A little more than three years ago Dr. Chase became a member of old Union's faculty. In these three short years he has done much for our alma mater and his much valued assistance and association with the students have won for him their deep respect and warmest appreciation. In simple token of this respect, the class of nineteen-sixteen dedicates this volume to him."

'05.—James G. Finn is connected with the Corporation Counsel of New York City in the Municipal Building.

'06.—Harold G. Booth is pastor of the West Congregationalist Church, Portland.

'06.—On February 10, 1916, Elmer Perry was appointed Assistant United States District Attorney for the district of Maine. He entered upon the duties of his new office on March 1.

'06.—Robie R. Stevens, manager of the Panama branch of the International Banking Corporation, is at present travelling in the interests of the company, in Spain.

'06.—William H. Stone is now practising law at Biddeford, in partnership with his father, Edwin Stone.

'06.—Raymond B. Williams has returned to the employ of the International Banking Corporation and is now in the New York office at 60 Wall Street.

'06.—Dr. William E. Youland, Jr., is doing research work in the Division of Laboratories and Research, New York State Department of Health, Albany, N. Y.

'09.—Ezra R. Bridge is at the La Vina Sanatorium, in Los Angeles, Cal., as an interne.

'09.—Thomas D. Ginn is an instructor in science, Boston Industrial School for Boys, Brimmer Building, Common Street. His residence is 12 Westminster Avenue, Boston, Mass.

ex-'09.—Dr. Edgar F. Sewall has removed his offices to 281 Broadway, Somerville, Mass., on account of a greatly increased practise.

'10.—George R. Ashworth, who graduated from the University of Maine Law School in

1915, is at present engaged in the practise of law at Ridgelyville, Me.

ex-'10.—R. E. G. Bailey is taking special work in sciences and language at Bowdoin to complete his requirements for a degree.

'10.—Gardner W. Cole, who while principal of the Dover-Foxcroft Academy was forced to resign on account of sickness, has regained his health, and will probably return to professional work within a few months. His present address is, East Raymond, Me.

'10.—Dr. Clyde S. Deming is one of the staff of the New Haven Hospital.

ex-'10.—James B. Draper, who left college during his sophomore year to take a position with the American Woolen Company, is now in the woolen business under the firm name of Ball and Draper.

'10.—Carlton W. Eaton is in charge of the wood-lot forestry extension of the State of Maine. His address is Orono, Me.

'10.—Harry B. McLaughlin has been engaged in the publishing business with the American Book Company. Since February, 1916, he has been the high school and college representative for the State of Connecticut and the Hudson Valley. His address is 136 West Forty-fourth Street, New York City.

'10.—Edward C. Matthews, Jr., of Portsmouth, N. H., was elected one of the four councilmen at large on the Republican ticket at the city elections, in December, 1915. He is chairman of the Finance Committee of that city for 1916.

'10.—Robert D. Morse is in London, England, as a representative of Ginn and Company, publishers.

'10.—Harold E. Rowell is at present principal of the Collinsville High School, in Collinsville, Conn.

'10.—Winston B. Stephens is an Instructor of German at Simmons College, Boston, Mass. His address is 159 St. Botolph Street, Boston.

'10.—G. Cony Weston is a member of the board of Aldermen of Augusta, Me.

'10.—Thomas W. Williams is now on the road for the American Telephone and Telegraph Company. He began his new work on April first of this year. Previous to that he was in the traffic department of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company. He is living at 525 Newbury Street, Boston, Mass.

'11.—Rev. Charles H. Byles has accepted the pastorate of the Pacific Congregational Church, Chicago, Ill.

'11.—The Fifth Annual Report of the class of 1911 has just been issued. By this report it appears that the class has a membership of 106, of



whom 71 are graduates and 35 are non-graduates. The men are located as follows: Maine, 49; Massachusetts, 21; New York, 12; Minnesota, 4; Pennsylvania, 3; New Jersey, 2, Connecticut, 2; California, 2; Illinois, Michigan, Ohio, Canada and Japan, one each. Thirty-nine are married and there are 19 children.

The Class is planning for its fifth reunion this Commencement. The Committee in charge of arrangements is Arthur H. Cole, Chairman, Harrison L. Robinson, Harry L. Wiggin, Fred R. Lord, and Ernest G. Fifield.

'12.—Clyde Chapman is studying law at the University of Maine Law School, Bangor, Me.

ex-'12.—James Crane, who was the leading man with the Jefferson Theatre Stock Company of Portland, Me., has very recently severed his connections with this company. He is now at Hartford, Conn., the leading man in a stock company of the Poli circuit.

'12.—Francis Harrington is principal of Lisbon Falls High School.

'12.—Seward J. Marsh left the employ of the Western Union and is now travelling for Colgate & Company of Boston, Mass.

'12.—P. W. Mathews is teaching in the Danforth School, Framingham, Mass.

'12.—Leland G. Means was married on March 31st to Miss Sally Kimball of Portland, Me., who is a Wellesley graduate. Allan Woodcock of his class was the best man. After a short wedding trip the young couple will make their residence in their new home at the corner of Spring and Emery Streets, Portland.

'12.—Frederick B. Simpson and Miss Frances P. Eldredge, a graduate of Mount Holyoke College, were married on March 13th. Mr. Simpson is in business in Bangor, Me.

'12.—Carl B. Timberlake recently began his duties as sub-master of Morse High School, Bath, Me. Since teaching in Marion, Mass., Mr. Timberlake has been engaged in selling bonds for a Portland firm. Teaching has again claimed him and he is making good in his new position.

'13.—Harry H. Hall was married to Miss Mildred Dean Allan of Boston, in St. Paul's Cathedral on March 7. They are now residing at 513 Hemenway St., in Boston.

'13.—Clifton Page who has been principal of the Scarboro, (Me.) High School, is now an instructor in English, at the Technical High School, in Springfield, Mass.

'13.—Ray E. Palmer is with the London, England, branch of the International Banking Corporation.

'13.—William R. Spinney, special agent for the Union Mutual Life Insurance Company of Port-

land, Me., is the author of a very interesting little pamphlet, published by the firm which he represents. The title of it is "An Argument for Monthly Income Insurance."

'13.—The engagement has been announced of Alfred H. Sweet to Miss Gladys M. Greenleaf of Lisbon, Me.

'14.—Of the thirty-eight Bowdoin men enrolled in the Harvard graduate and professional schools at the beginning of the year, eleven were members of the class of 1914: Arts and Science, Chase, Gage, Gibson, Pope, Robinson, Verrill; Law School, Barton, P. Donahue; Business School, Standish; Medical School, Badger, Mason.

'14.—A daughter, Elizabeth, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis T. Brown, Nov. 10, 1915.

'14.—C. A. Brown is studying law in the office of William S. Linnell '07, in Portland, Me.

'14.—F. X. Callahan has a position with the Travellers Insurance Company of New York City.

'14.—Alan R. Cole is with W. S. Jordan & Co. of Portland, dealers in ship stores and chandlery.

'14.—The engagement is announced of Miss Mildred A. Boardman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Smith Boardman of Genesee, N. Y., and Robert D. Leigh, instructor in Government at Reed College. Miss Boardman is a graduate of Columbia University and is now teaching English in the Bennett School at Millbrook on the Hudson.

'14.—F. R. Loeffler, who is in the employ of the International Banking Co., is now stationed at Colon, Panama.

'14.—F. W. McCargo, who up to April 1 was with the Granite National Bank of Augusta, is now connected with the Proctor, Gamble Co., of Boston.

'14.—E. R. Sylvester sailed for Rio de Janeiro on March 18, there to enter the branch office of the National City Bank of New York.

'14.—The following named members of the class are teaching: W. C. Coombs, Freedom Academy; H. F. King, Fort Wayne, Ind.; E. A. Nason, Powder Point School, Duxbury, Mass.; Neal Tuttle, Fessenden School, West Newton, Mass.; E. F. Wilson, Limerick Academy.

'15.—Stanwood A. Melcher is in the employ of The Travellers Insurance Company, Hartford, Conn. Mr. Melcher is at present studying in the training school conducted by the company at its home office, in preparation for a field position.

'15.—Alvah B. Stetson is now in the employ of the Guaranty Trust Co. of New York at 140 Broadway, where he has a responsible position in the Foreign Department.



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## PREPAREDNESS MEETING TONIGHT

Everyone interested in national defense should be present at the Union this evening at the military preparedness meeting. Speakers such as Gen. George McL. Presson, U.S.A., and Capt. E. W. Niles of the coast artillery and former instructor at West Point, will present from their wide knowledge certain possibilities for correcting our generally acknowledged military weakness. R. L. Marston '99, G. E. Fogg '02 and A. L. Robinson '08 will also speak on the subject. Several other Bowdoin alumni interested in the question of preparedness will be on hand to discuss the subject informally with the students.

The object of the meeting is strictly to discuss the present necessity for military preparation and not to advocate any particular plan. It is held under the auspices of the Rifle Club.

## PIKE '17 WRITES FROM NEAR VERDUN

Word has recently been received from Carleton M. Pike '17, who left college last fall to join the American Ambulance Corps in France. He is stationed near Tours, a city 67 miles south of Verdun, and it was from there that he wrote to two of his fraternity brothers. It is evident that he likes the work, which he says is not hard, although dangerous at times. The treatment on the part of the people there is such that he advises his friend to pack his grip at once and spend his summer there.

The following are extracts from the letter:

"At our headquarters, which are about sixteen miles from the Germans, we live in barracks, quite a huge establishment. We all sleep in one room, about twenty of us; we go to bed at eight and get up at seven.

"There are two advanced posts, however, to which we are detailed nine days a month, and these are only five miles from the Germans. We operate from them mostly at night, as we have to go very near the trenches and would make good targets for German shells in the daytime. While we are at these places, we have to work nearly all night and parts of the day, so we get rather tired at times. At night, we have to drive without lights and every now and then there is an accident. So far, I have not had any, how-

ever.

"At this place where I am now, there are always two fellows stationed. We have a room 7x12 feet, access to which is by a window. In the room we have a bed, a table and a settee. We eat with the soldiers twice a day and the meals are not very sporty.

"There are dug-outs near our quarters at these stations, so we are safe if they start shelling the town. I have had no shell burst closer to me than 200 yards. There is one place where we are within a mile of the Germans. We are behind a hill into which dug-outs are built and we all live in them. It has a very peculiar appearance with all the roofs about five feet thick, built of logs and earth. When I am at this place, I stay in my dirt house all day long, or at least remain near enough to duck in when a shell whistles overhead. This all sounds rather spooky, but it is not bad at all.

"I have talked with a lot of the soldiers who were at Verdun during the first part of the fighting and some who were in the Champagne attack last spring.

"You can imagine, they have some pretty tough times. One fellow told me that at Verdun where he was the first eight days of the attack, when the Germans took a small town where he was stationed, they all took to the houses. The Germans followed and told them they would be taken prisoners and treated as such if they gave up their arms. They agreed and when they had given them up, the Germans threw hand-grenades at them. This fellow escaped by dodging out of a window."

## MAINE 4, BOWDOIN 3

Bowdoin lost its first game in the Maine series last Saturday in the ninth inning when everything indicated a close but certain Bowdoin victory. The game began with Bowdoin's scoring in the first inning, when McElwee singled, stole second, and scored on Finn's well-placed hit to center. From then to the sixth inning excellent pitching on the part of both the Bowdoin and Maine twirlers prevented further scoring. In the sixth Lawry of Maine singled, stole second, and came home on Hackett's double, bringing in Maine's first run and tying the score. The next:

inning, however, saw Bowdoin come through with two runs. Donnell singled, reached second on Woodman's sacrifice, third on a passed ball, and came home on a wild throw to first. In the meantime Bradford reached second, got to third on Kelley's infield drive, and was brought home by White's hit. Then came the fatal ninth, when, with the bases full Lawry hit a hot one to short which was fumbled, and two Maine men crossed the plate, tying the score. In the tenth inning Maine scored again and won the game. The playing of White for Bowdoin and Capt. Lawry for Maine was easily the feature of the game. White pitched a wonderfully steady game in twelve men. He raised a blister on his controlling finger which bothered him badly near the end of the game. In the ninth inning Bradford, Bowdoin's catcher, split the middle finger on his right hand and had to be relieved by Chapman. It is feared that Bradford's injury is such that he will be obliged to be out of the game for at least three weeks and possibly longer.

The summary:

MAINE									
	ab	r	b	po	a	e			
S. Phillips, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0			
Lawry, 2b	4	1	2	4	0	0			
Hackett, 1b	5	0	1	1	0	2			
Rowe, 3b	5	0	1	0	0	0			
Pendleton, ss	4	0	0	2	3	0			
Giles, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0			
Ruffner, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0			
Gorham, lf	4	1	0	0	0	0			
Reardon, c	3	1	1	6	3	0			
Driscoll, p	4	0	0	1	8	1			
Total	37	4	5	30	17	3			

BOWDOIN									
	ab	r	b	po	a	e			
F. Phillips, lf	5	0	0	1	1	0			
Chapman, rf, c	5	0	0	1	1	0			
McElwell, 1b	4	1	1	9	0	0			
Finn, ss	4	0	1	1	1	1			
Donnell, 3b	4	1	2	0	0	0			
Woodman, cf	3	0	0	3	0	1			
Bradford, c	3	1	0	11	4	0			
Goodskey, rf	1	0	0	2	0	0			
Kelley, 2b	3	0	0	0	2	4			
White, p	4	0	0	0	2	0			
Total	36	3	6	30	11	6			

Innings:  
Maine ..... 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 2 1—4  
Bowdoin ..... 1 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—3  
Two base hit, Hackett. Sacrifice hits, Pendleton, Woodman, Kelley. Stolen bases, S. Phillips, Lawry 2, McElwell, Donnell. Double plays, F. Phillips to Finn. Left on bases, Maine 9; Bowdoin 5. First base on balls off White 4. First base on errors, Maine 5; Bowdoin 2. Hit by pitcher, by White, Gorham. Struck out, by White 12; by Driscoll 8. Passed balls, Chapman, Reardon. Wild pitches, White 2. Time 3.00. Umpire, Conway.

#### THETA DELTA CHI HOUSE PARTY

The Eta of Theta Delta Chi held its annual house party at the charge house last Friday, with a reception in the afternoon and a dance in the evening. The house was decorated in a color plan of green and yellow. In the receiving line were Mrs. Wilmot B. Mitchell, Mrs. Frank N.

Woodruff, Mrs. Alaric W. Haskell, and Mrs. William R. Porter of Brunswick, and Mrs. William H. Merrill of Lawrence, Mass. Mrs. Leon S. Lippincott and Mrs. John A. Slocum of Brunswick poured. Sprague's orchestra of Portland furnished music for an order of twenty dances. The guests were the Misses Laura Goding, Virginia Hamilton, Elizabeth Barton, Fidelia Woodbury, Bessie Hill, Elizabeth Freeman and Mildred Russell of Portland, Marguerite Hutchins of Brunswick, Ida Wotton of Rockland, Dorothy Bailey of Egypt, Mass., Grace Chilson of Franklin, Mass., Frances Rane of Wellesley, Mass., Arvilla Todd of Lawrence, Mass., Isabella McWilliams of Portsmouth, N. H., Elizabeth Scott of Providence, R. I., Marie Heinze of Detroit, Mich., and Mary Woodfill of Greensburg, Ind.

The committee in charge of the house party was composed of Littlefield '16, Manderson '18, Mooers '18, and Barton '19. Hall of Brunswick catered.

#### BETA THETA PI HOUSE PARTY

The Beta Theta Pi annual house party was held in the chapter house last Friday afternoon and evening. The house was beautifully decorated with evergreen and roses and the dance orders were of black leather upon which the fraternity coat-of-arms was embossed.

The patronesses were Mrs. Alice C. Little of Brunswick, Mrs. Elizabeth T. Lee of Cambridge, Mass., Mrs. Louis McCarthy of West Roxbury, Mass., and Mrs. Frederick A. Coombs of East Orange, N. J. Presiding at the refreshment tables were Mrs. Henry Johnson, Mrs. Charles T. Burnett, Mrs. Manton Copeland, Mrs. George R. Elliott, Mrs. Orren C. Hornell, Mrs. Paul Nixon and Mrs. William H. Davis, all of Brunswick.

Among the guests were the Misses Lucia Alford, Marion Andrews, Helene Blackwell, Helen Colby, Dorothy Donnell, Mary Elliott and Isabel Palmer of Brunswick, Doris Perry, Geneva Rose, Helen Sullivan and Helen Webb of Rockland, Esther Coffin, Helene Fenderson and Frances Foss of Portland, Mildred Farrington of Augusta, Maybelle Haines of Dexter, Ruth Crane of Machias, Irene Jackson of Waterville, Olive Doe of Lexington, Mass., Caroline Creed of Needham Heights, Mass., and Helen Upham of Duluth, Minn.

The committee in charge of the house party consisted of Bird '16, Ireland '16, Lovejoy '17, Coombs '18, and McCarthy '19. Music was furnished by Lovell's orchestra of Brunswick.



## INTERFRATERNITY BASEBALL UNDER WAY

Ten teams in two divisions compose the interfraternity baseball league for this season. Games have already been played on the Delta, and there is a game scheduled for every afternoon unless some special college event interferes. In the first division are Psi Upsilon, Delta Kappa Epsilon, Theta Delta Chi, Delta Upsilon and Phi Theta Upsilon. The second division is composed of Alpha Delta Phi, Zeta Psi, Kappa Sigma, Beta Theta Pi and Beta Chi.

The rules of the league provide for games of at least five innings, and the managers are to agree beforehand on the exact number. If a game has to be postponed on account of weather it is to be played at the earliest open date. Varsity men are excluded from the games. The winners in each division are to contend for the championship in three nine inning games.

The schedule is as follows:

April 24.	Dekes vs. Psi U's.
April 25.	Alpha Delt vs. Zetes.
April 26.	D. U.'s vs. Phi Thetas.
April 27.	B. X.'s vs. Kappa Sigs.
April 28.	Dekes vs. D. U.'s.
May 1.	Alpha Delt vs. Betas.
May 2.	Psi U's vs. Theta Delt.
May 3.	Zetes vs. Kappa Sigs.
May 4.	Dekes vs. Phi Thetas.
May 5.	Betas vs. B. X.'s.
May 8.	Theta Delt vs. D. U.'s.
May 9.	Kappa Sigs vs. Betas.
May 10.	Psi U's vs. Phi Thetas.
May 11.	Alpha Delt vs. B. X.'s.
May 12.	Theta Delt vs. Dekes.
May 15.	Zetes vs. B. X.'s.
May 16.	Psi U's vs. D. U.'s.
May 18.	Alpha Delt vs. Kappa Sigs.
May 19.	Theta Delt vs. Phi Thetas.
May 22.	Zetes vs. Betas.

## ALPHA DELTA PHI, 8; ZETA PSI, 1.

The first of the interfraternity games was won by the Alpha Delt, who defeated the Zetes last Tuesday. Stanley pitched for the Alpha Delt and held the Zetes to a single run. MacIninch went into the box for the Zetes at the opening of the game, but was hit heavily and was replaced by Marston. The battery, Stanley and Thomas, starred on the winning team, while on the Zetes, Norton led in the hitting. Marston kept down the Alpha Delt hits after he went into the game, striking out the first three men who came up to the bat. The score:

Alpha Delt	.....5	3	0	0	x—8
Zetes	.....0	0	0	1	0—1

Batteries: Stanley '18 and Thomas '19; MacIninch '19, Marston '17 and Niven '16. Umpires: Keene '17 and Philbrick '17.

## KAPPA SIGMA, 6; BETA CHI, 5.

The Kappa Sigs defeated the Beta Chis Thursday afternoon in a closely fought game. Tuttle's pitching was a feature, as he struck out ten of the opposing batters. Beta Chi held the lead until nearly the end. The score.

Beta Chis	.....1	0	4	0	0	0	0	0—5
Batteries:	Moran '17,	Hight '16	and	Robinson '19;	R. C. Tuttle '19	and	Palmer '18.	Umpires: Matthews '18 and Needelman '18.

## PRELIMINARIES FOR ALEXANDERS

The balloting for members of the Junior and Sophomore classes to represent those classes in the preliminary contest for the Alexander Prizes has resulted as follows: From 1917, Achorn, Bowdoin, Chapman, R. H. Cobb, Miller, Phillips, Rickard, Shumway and Willey; from 1918, Albion, J. E. Gray, Jacob, Joyce, Matthews, Mooers, Norton, Roper and Sanderson.

Competition for the final contest on June 19th is open also to any other members of these classes who care to enter the preliminary contest. Competitors who have already appeared in a final Alexander contest will not be permitted to use a selection upon which they have been coached for that contest.

The trials will take place probably on Wednesday, May 10, in Hubbard Hall. Announcement as to time and order of speaking is to be made later.

The selection of men from the freshman class for the trials will be made sometime in the near future.

Professors Woodruff and Moody and Mr. Meserve have been chosen as judges.

## TRACK MEN PREPARING FOR TECH

"Bad weather has kept the men off the field a large part of the past week, but they have shown wonderful spirit by sticking to it through all difficulties," said Coach Magee Saturday. Practically all the men are out and are working hard for the Tech meet which comes next Friday, and is a part of the program of the Tech Junior Week. Bowdoin's track men are looking forward with confidence and a strong team will surely go to Cambridge. Last year Bowdoin dedicated the new Tech field with a victory and the men hope to be able to win again this year. The rains of the past week have softened the track on Whit-tier Field to such an extent that fast work is impossible.

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## The Future of the Orient

With the question of how the ORIENT may best serve the college before us, we have thought seriously the last few weeks of the future form of the paper. The ORIENT is now published in what may be termed magazine form. For twenty years at least the matter of changing it to newspaper form has been discussed, only to be postponed year after year. This year increased interest in the change was shown and considerable investigation made.

The arguments in favor of the change are many, centering principally however around two. Increased space, giving opportunity for more cuts, headlines and lengthy articles could be obtained thereby and it would place us in line with other colleges throughout the country, which have

adopted the newspaper form almost without exception, seemingly indicating that the step would be a progressive one, tending perhaps toward a semi-weekly paper in the near future.

The negative arguments are perhaps three. The most important is that of preservation, the question whether the ORIENT should be merely a record or should attempt fields more closely connected with a true newspaper. The second argument is that of precedent and dignity. Should we not take pride in our conservatism and individuality? Would not the Bowdoin men of past years resent any such radical change as that proposed? This question the alumni alone can answer. The third argument concerns a danger which to us seems slight, a possible lowering of standards in the makeup and policy of the paper. The Bowdoin Publishing Company is at present in excellent financial condition, owing greatly to the efficient work of the retiring business manager, and the cost of the change need not be seriously considered.

With these arguments before them, the ORIENT Board has passed a resolution indorsing the change and the board of directors has voted it with certain restrictions. These restrictions have prevented the change taking place this year but another effort will be made next March. Meanwhile it is the desire of those responsible for the ORIENT to obtain as far as possible the sentiment of those interested, in particular the student body and the alumni subscribers. Communications expressing approval or disapproval are requested and an earnest, intelligent discussion of the question is urged.

## Credit for Military Training

Under the heading "Bowdoin's Degree Menaced," the *Boston Transcript* for April 24 reprints an editorial from the *Cornell Sun*, attacking the policy of granting credit toward a college degree for time spent at the Plattsburg military camps. While not objecting to the broadening of the college's scope along lines of practical scientific education, the Cornell editor thinks that in Bowdoin's case "the good has been overdone and the college degree stripped of its significance."

This criticism is founded on a misunderstanding which, for the sake of the high standing of Bowdoin, should be corrected. Bowdoin is not going to grant credit toward a degree for summer work at Plattsburg alone. A lecture course in military science is to be instituted under the direct supervision of the United States Army, and this course, when supplemented by work at Plattsburg, will count toward a degree as does

any other course in the curriculum.

Bowdoin takes pride in clinging to the traditional standards of scholarship in so far as they best serve the end of a liberal college and, at the same time, does not hesitate to make changes or additions wherever they may seem desirable. On the editorial page of this paper last week, the prime duty of a college was stated to be training for good citizenship. Bowdoin believes preparation for war, when war is necessary to maintain the nation's honor or to defend the rights of humanity, is a part of this training for good citizenship and that, in encouraging the study of military science, supplemented by summer work at Plattsburg, the college is in no way lowering or endangering its established standards but is seeking to fulfill its share in the work laid out for it.

#### RIFLE CLUB RULES

Regular shooting practice for members of the Rifle Club began yesterday afternoon on the Brunswick range. In accordance with certain stipulated conditions it is only possible at present for ten men to shoot at a time. In the near future, however, the government will repair the range so that twenty men can use it at once. After this week, Monday afternoons will be reserved for the faculty members of the club. It should also be noted that members can shoot on Saturday afternoons only by special application to Schlossberg '18, president of the club.

The following rules and regulations regarding the use of equipment have recently been posted:

Ten men only can be accommodated on an afternoon.

Application for permission to shoot must be by personal signature on posted list. No proxies accepted.

In the event of more than ten men applying or any given day, priority will be given to those who have shot the least number of times, exception being made for qualified team members, who are duly authorized to practice for competition.

Guns and ammunition will be distributed at Bannister Hall between 3.30 and 3.45 p. m. and no equipment can be obtained before or after that time.

Guns and ammunition will be inspected by the range officer and charged to each member at time of issue. Before guns can be returned they must be thoroughly cleaned and oiled. Each man will be credited with ammunition returned.

On the range the announced officer for the day is in full charge, and members refusing to comply with his instructions will promptly forfeit their club privileges.

#### PORTLAND AND BIDDEFORD

##### WIN IN DEBATING

Portland High and Biddeford High have been awarded the silver championship cups in the two divisions of the Bowdoin Interscholastic Debating League. On Friday, April 21, Portland High defeated Edward Little High of Auburn, the winners supporting the negative of the proposition: "Resolved, that the United States should take definite steps to bring about the organization of a Pan-American Union, as outlined in 'Pan-Americanism' by Roland G. Usher."

Biddeford High, supporting the negative defeated Brunswick High last Friday on the subject: "Resolved, that ex-Secretary Garrison's plan for military reorganization should be adopted."

Hescock '16 and Fobes '17 coached Portland and Edward Little, respectively, while Niven '16 acted as Biddeford's coach, and Chapman '17 and Jacob '18 prepared Brunswick.

#### STRONG SPEAKERS FOR NEXT YEAR

Following the same policy as last year of having few, but highly eminent men to address the Christian Association meetings, Professor Langley gives out the following tentative list of speakers whom he hopes to procure for next winter: Mr. Richard P. Strong, professor of tropical medicine at Harvard University, and chairman of the International Sanitary Commission. Mr. Strong and the commission of which he is the head, are well known internationally for the splendid and heroic work recently done among the plague sufferers in Serbia, and also for relief work in Manchuria; Mr. Homer Albers, Dean of the Boston University Law School and attorney for Thomas W. Lawson; Mr. C. W. Barron, editor of the Boston News Bureau, a financial paper. Mr. Barron is an authority on business affairs and allied matters, and is noted for several books he has written which are highly regarded in their field and Mr. Percival Lowell, director of the famous Lowell Observatory at Flagstaff.

Efforts are being made to secure suitable delegates to represent the college at the annual Student Conference at Northfield, Mass.

#### FENCING CAPTAIN ELECTED

At a meeting of the Bowdoin Fencing Association last Tuesday evening, Julian E. Gray '18 was elected captain-manager of the fencing team for the coming season.

A spring squad of fencers may be provided, if sufficient interest is shown to warrant it.



## EIGHTEEN WOULD-BE MANAGERS

Eighteen freshmen are candidates for assistant managerships in the four sports. They are:

Baseball—Angus, Burleigh, Cole, Fay and F. B. Morrison.

Football—Finn, Grover, Mitchell, Paul, Simmons and Sturgis.

Track—Mahoney, Martin, R. A. Stevens and Tebbets.

Tennis—Farrar, Hargraves, Nelson and Whitcomb.

The candidates for the football assistant managership usually report in September, just before the opening of the Sophomore year, but owing to winter football, the call was sent out for freshmen during the winter. The candidates in the other three sports will be balloted upon in June.

## WHITE WILL SPEAK FOR BOWDOIN

As a result of the preliminary speaking contest, Donald S. White '16 was chosen by a committee of the faculty to represent Bowdoin this year in the New England Oratorical League contest. Representatives of only the four colleges, Amherst, Bowdoin, Wesleyan, and Williams, will compete this year. Brown will not be represented.

The competition will take place in Memorial Hall Thursday evening.

## REPORT OF FENCING MANAGER

## RECEIPTS

Blanket Tax .....	\$15.00
Gift of Alumnus .....	10.00
Harvard Guarantee .....	15.00
Springfield Guarantee .....	15.00
Yale Guarantee .....	35.00

Total Receipts ..... \$90.00

## EXPENDITURES

Harvard Trip .....	\$21.00
Yale-Springfield Trip .....	45.35
I. F. A. Dues .....	10.00
Trip to I. F. A. Preliminaries .....	12.60
Miscellaneous .....	1.05

Total Expenditures ..... \$90.00

Respectfully submitted,

H. L. HARGRAVES,

*Manager.*

I have examined the books, accounts and vouchers of the manager of the Fencing Association, and find the foregoing to be an accurate account of his receipts and expenditures.

BARRETT POTTER,

*Auditor.*

April 25, 1916.

## GENERAL CHAMBERLAIN'S REMINISCENCES

"The Passing of the Armies," by the late General Joshua L. Chamberlain, (Bowdoin, 1852), has been published recently by Messrs. G. P. Putnam's Sons. The book is an account of the final campaign of the Army of the Potomac, based upon the general's personal reminiscences of the Fifth Army Corps. In the course of a lengthy review, "The Nation" observes: "Ability, training, and experience made him a thoughtful participant in the campaign of 1865, which is the theme of his narrative. Its chief historical and military value lies in its exposition of the extraordinary and erratic handling of the armies confronting Lee, and of their strange composition. Told with spirit and skill, its pages full of human interest, lightened with personal sketches and pertinent anecdotes, Gen. Chamberlain's narrative is an important contribution to American history, one which can hardly fail to modify in some respects mistaken popular judgments. In the state of military preparedness, of which we are beginning to think, this volume may help to maintain a scientific application of military principles in the conduct of armies, for the prevention of the dangerous crudities manifested in the Appomattox campaign.

The reviewer supplements the narrative with the following account, drawn from the records of the war, of Colonel Chamberlain's promotion: "On the 17th and 18th of June, 1864, Gen. Grant was at City Point. Gen. Meade was in command of the Army of the Potomac in front of Petersburg. The telegraph wires were out of order on both days, interrupting communication between Grant and Meade. On the evening of June 19, Gen. Warren, commanding the Fifth Corps, reported to Meade that Col. Chamberlain was mortally wounded in the assaults of the previous day, the ball having passed through the pelvis and bladder. Warren adds that Chamberlain had been previously recommended for promotion, that on the day before he had led his brigade under a most destructive fire, and that the wounded officer now expressed the wish that he might receive the recognition of his service by promotion before he died, for the gratification of his family and friends. Warren begs that the request be granted, if possible. On the same day Meade forwarded this telegram to Grant, with the earnest recommendation that Col. Chamberlain's request be granted. On June 20, the second day after Chamberlain's wounding, Grant at City Point, in pursuance of authority of the Secretary of War, in special orders No. 39, mostly devoted to the distribution of the army mail, appointed Col. Chamberlain brigadier-general of United States

Volunteers, subject to the approval of the President."

The book contains maps, portraits, and a biographical note by Mr. G. H. Putnam recounting General Chamberlain's connection with the College as Instructor, Professor, and President, his conspicuous service at Gettysburg, and his chivalrous conduct when Lee stacked arms at Appomattox. Of the last mentioned occasion, the reviewer observes: "General Chamberlain was placed in command of the receiving troops, signaling the event by an act of courtesy celebrated in the annals of the war."

## The Other Colleges

A Chinese play with an all-Chinese cast will be presented by college students from the Orient who are studying in institutions near Boston, on February 25. Undergraduates from Harvard University and Technology will play the masculine roles, and Chinese girls from Radcliffe and Wellesley will take feminine parts.

"Drink a Highball," an old drinking song at the University of Pennsylvania, has been officially banned under the order of Provost Smith and other university officials, who declare that the song lays Penn men open to misunderstanding and is not truly representative of the university.

The University of Washington is having a series of "pep rallies," at which the attendance of all fraternity men is checked up as well as the number of Freshmen and Sophomores. Some organizations had a percentage of 100.

Nine students have been enrolled in the new Cambridge Law School for women. The school will have the same professors as Harvard and a similar three-year course. The school occupies two rooms, one used as a classroom and the other as a library. Among those enrolled are three graduates of Radcliffe and one of Mt. Holyoke. They have as a special feature "a moot court" in which they hold mock trials and at which one of the faculty sits as chief justice.

How to secure officers from the military trained students of the land grant colleges has been discussed before the House Military Affairs Committee by President Edmund J. James of the University of Illinois. President James proposes the establishment by the Federal Government of military scholarships of \$250 a year. Those winning these scholarships would, on graduation, enter the army as second lieutenants for one year, retiring thence to the reserve.

Despite the vigorous protests of their parents and friends, the 106 students of the Illinois Wesleyan University who were suspended by Presi-

dent Kemp for infractions of the college rule against dancing, must abide by the faculty decree which excludes them from classes for a fortnight.

Football and basketball men of Milwaukee Normal have adopted the following slogan for the football dance:

No flowers.

No dress suits.

No taxi-cabs.

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The vexing question of whether a student goes to college primarily for college activities or for study has now found its way to Haverford College. Steps will probably be taken to forbid anyone from being captain or manager of more than one activity outside his lessons.

Believing that the annual custom of choosing the twenty-four prettiest girls of the Sophomore class to carry the "daisy chain" on Senior day had reduced itself to a vulgar beauty contest, the Seniors at Vassar have voted to abolish the practice.

"Kangaroo courts" and the traditional "hot-hand" will have no part in determining the fashionable dress of underclassmen at the University of Washington. A warning issued by President Suzzallo seems to have had a persuasive effect on the Sophomores, who had intended making all men wear corduroy trousers.

A rule has been proposed at Kansas University to prevent men from attending the girls' basketball games without a lady escort. The purpose is to secure a more select audience for the games.

University of Chicago co-eds have gone on a strike because they are not allowed to sit on the same side of the room with the men students in certain lecture courses.

The trustees of Pennsylvania State College have named a committee on "preparedness." They are determined to offer the buildings and grounds of the college for use in time of national emergency; to tender the use of the campus to the military authorities for a summer training camp, if desired. The college has military training for its students.

A rule has recently gone into effect at Texas University whereby members of college publications will be suitably rewarded for their services. Editors are to receive gold medals, associates silver and reporters bronze.

The members of the home economics class of the University of Washington have the opportunity of occupying a practice cottage, where they may work out various problems which arise in connection with the management of a home. Their ability to solve these problems determines their fitness for graduation.

## On the Campus

Senior canes appeared yesterday.

The last Freshmen warnings are due shortly.

Sturgis '19 is playing in the orchestra of a theatre in Lewiston this week.

Golf seems to be a popular minor sport among the less strenuous these days.

William Hodge in "Fixing Sister" is drawing many students to Portland these nights.

Leatherbarrow '17 taught at Topsham High School last week in the absence of one of the teachers.

Edwards '16, Achorn '17, and Blanchard '17 attended the national convention of Zeta Psi as delegates from the Lambda last week.

President Hyde had a letter in the *Nation* of April 25, in which he described his method of choosing suitable men for the faculty.

Leo F. Creeden *ex-'17* is travelling through the South and West for the Fuller and Smith Advertising Co., with headquarters at Cleveland.

Hemenway '19 received word last week that he had successfully passed the entrance examination for West Point and will enter that institution in June.

The varsity defeated the Brunswick High baseball team on Whittier Field Thursday afternoon. It was in the nature of a practice game, and no score was kept.

From the *Bates Student* after the exhibition game: "If there is one team which we must watch more than any of the others, it is Bowdoin. To beat them by such a score was insignificant."

At the session of the Interdenominational Committee of the Protestant churches of the State, held last Wednesday, President Hyde was re-elected president of the organization.

Professor G. T. Files was elected treasurer of the Maine Aeronautical Coast Patrol Association at a recent meeting of the directors of the association.

George L. Irving, editor of the *North American Student* will meet this afternoon at five, the men who are to be active in Y. M. C. A. work next year.

The period for gym make-ups has been extended another week and will last until May 6. Cuts not made up by that time will have to be cleared under an approved instructor hired by the student.

On the campus recently were C. P. Merrill '96, E. G. Barbour '12, F. E. Harrington '12, W. A. MacCormick '12, S. J. Marsh '12, A. P. Welch '12, V. W. Marr '14, W. G. Tackaberry '15, and R. H. Brooks *ex-'18*.

To quote the *Colby Echo*: "Two Bowdoin

sophomores made an unexpected visit to Colby last Friday. They jumped a freight intending to get off at Richmond but the train went through so fast that they decided to visit friends at Waterville instead."

The Athletic Council met last week. The following business was transacted:

It was voted to approve the dual tennis meet with Bates during the first week in May.

It was voted to recommend to the college boards that \$50.00 be appropriated for privilege of use of Brunswick Golf links by students.

The Ivy assessment of ten dollars upon each member of the junior class is now payable to any of the following men: Stride, Phillips, Willey, Blanchard or Ross. The members of the class are urged to pay as promptly as possible.

Coach Houser wishes all pitchers and catchers to report at the gym for practice on all rainy afternoons.

The managing of the Freshman Bible is to be competitive hereafter, and the position will be given to the freshman or sophomore who collects the largest amount of advertising. The position brings in a financial return and the competition is open to all members of the two lower classes. Those wishing to try out will hand their names to Albion '18 before Saturday.

A committee representing each of the fraternities has been selected to interest the student body in Plattsburg. The members are Hawes '16, Little '16, Moulton '16, Pettengill '16, Achorn '17, Moran '17, Philbrick '17, Albion '18, DeMott '18, and Van Wart '18. These men are requested to meet for a short talk before the preparedness meeting in the Union this evening.

## CALENDAR

May

2. Psi Upsilon vs. Theta Delta Chi.  
7:30, Military Meeting, Union.
3. Zeta Psi vs. Kappa Sigma.
4. Delta Kappa Epsilon vs. Delta Upsilon.
5. Dual Meet—Bowdoin vs. M. I. T. at Cambridge.  
Beta Theta Pi vs. Beta Chi.  
Kappa Sigma House Party.
6. Bowdoin vs. Colby on Whittier Field.
8. Theta Delta Chi vs. Delta Upsilon.
9. Kappa Sigma vs. Beta Theta Pi.
10. Psi Upsilon vs. Phi Theta Upsilon.  
Trials for Alexander Prize Speaking.
11. Alpha Delta Phi vs. Beta Chi.
12. Bowdoin vs. Maine at Orono.  
Delta Kappa Epsilon vs. Theta Delta Chi.  
Delta Upsilon House Party.
14. Maine Intercollegiate Track Meet.



## Alumni Department

'54.—Council Greeley, the oldest lawyer in active practise in Chicago at his death, passed away at his home April 16th. Mr. Greeley was born in Dover, Maine, March 20, 1825, and after his graduation from Bowdoin, he taught school at various places throughout the State for three years. In 1857 he began to practise law in Dover, Maine, but in 1859 he moved to Quincy, Illinois, where he remained until 1872. Since that time he has been in Chicago.

Though stricken with absolute blindness about forty years ago, he persisted in attending to his duties as an attorney, skilfully threading his way through the crowded streets, with the assistance of a policeman who had learned to expect his arrivals on the corners at a certain hour of each day of the week.

He is survived by his wife and a daughter.

'94.—Rev. Robert L. Sheaff has given up his duties as pastor of the Congregational Church in Norridgewock, Me.

'99.—The library has recently received a bulletin containing a copy of the address made by Dr. Winford Smith to the trustees of the Jeanes Hospital. Dr. Smith is the Superintendent of the Johns Hopkins Hospital of Baltimore, Md.

'05.—Leonard A. Pierce, Esq., is one of the candidates for congressional nomination in the Fourth District. He received his LL.B. degree from Harvard. After his graduation from here he was immediately admitted to the law firm of Madigan and Madigan. Mr. Pierce is at present practicing independently. In 1915 he represented Houlton in the Legislature and took a very prominent part in the discussion of important measures in the House. He is an able speaker and will undoubtedly be a strong addition to the speakers in the coming campaign.

'07.—Roscoe H. Hupper argued an admiralty case before the Supreme Court of the United States, March 13th, on behalf of the International Mercantile Marine Company. The case involved an important point with respect to appeals in admiralty and went to the Supreme Court from the Circuit Court of Appeals.

ex-'07.—Word has been received of the recent enlistment in the United States Navy at San Francisco of Willis N. Haines, a former student of the college.

ex-'15.—James M. Marston was married to Miss Lottie M. Johnson of Hallowell, Me., on April 17th. Mr. Marston graduated from Columbia University after leaving Bowdoin, and is now teaching in the Stuyvesant High School, New York.

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## WEATHERHEAD TO COACH ELEVEN

Albert J. Weatherhead, Jr., of Harvard will coach the Bowdoin eleven next fall, according to an announcement made by Manager Blanchard yesterday. Weatherhead has played at end two years on the Harvard 'varsity, and has not only had the training under Haughton, but also under Rush, the Princeton coach, while at the University school in Cleveland. He is captain of the Harvard wrestling team and the champion wrestler and boxer of the 168 lb. class. He was secured through the efforts of the Boston Alumni, and particularly through Thomas L. Pierce '98 and Phillips Kimball '07.

## ROOSEVELT IS BOWDOIN'S FAVORITE

Theodore Roosevelt proved to be the popular choice for the next President in the straw vote taken for the *Sunday Telegram* by Sayward '16. Three hundred and nine students voted, 144 for Roosevelt, 77 apiece for Wilson and Hughes and 11 for Root. In the faculty vote, however, Wilson gained a slight plurality, with twelve to his credit, while Hughes received nine, Roosevelt five and Root one. These figures show that the undergraduate body is about 75 per cent. and the faculty 55 per cent., Republican. Since so many voters were undecided about their choice for governor, little weight was attached to this vote and the exact results were not given out. Among the faculty, Wheeler was loyally supported with seventeen votes, while Curtis had four and Milliken three. In the undergraduate vote, Milliken and Wheeler scored heavily for the Republicans, and Governor Curtis for the Democrats.

There were many interesting facts about the votes of the student body. The ballots contained the names of Roosevelt, Hughes, Root and Wilson for President, and Callahan, Milliken, Parkhurst, Wheeler and Curtis for governor, but the voter could write in the name of any other candidate he wished. Only one man voted the Progressive ticket, writing "Progressive" before Roosevelt's name and voting for Lawrence of Lubec for governor. Only two votes were thrown out as defective. One man voted for both Hughes and Wilson, writing "pending sub-

marine investigations" on his ballot. Neither Henry Ford nor William H. Taft nor William J. Bryan drew any votes.

The voting was carried on largely in the fraternity houses, where intense rivalry existed and in many cases there was some campaigning. Roosevelt carried all but two houses, tying with Wilson in one and losing to Hughes by four votes in the other.

## M. I. T. DEFEATS ROWDOIN IN CLOSE MEET

Bowdoin lost its third annual meet with the Institute of Technology last Friday by the score of 68 to 58. The meet Friday was closely contested throughout, and the two teams were so evenly matched that it was not until the last event that a Tech victory was certain.

Leadbetter was Bowdoin's largest point winner, cleaning up firsts in the shot put and hammer-throw, and second in the discus. Savage won both the hurdles for Bowdoin in good time, and Webber came through second in both these events, and also won second in the 100 yd. dash. Turner brought home two seconds. In the half mile he lead the field all the way around and was nosed out by inches at the finish by Brown of Tech. His race in the half mile was also a beautiful one and he came in but a few yards behind Tech's speeder, Capt. Guething whose time was 50 4-5.

The summary:

100-Yard Dash.—Won by O'Hara, T.; Webber, B., second; Russert, T., third. Time: 10 2-5s.

120-Yard Hurdles.—Won by Savage, B.; Webber, B., second; Sewall, T., third. Time: 16 1-5s.

Mile Run.—Won by By Brown, T.; Herzog, T., second; McCarten, T., third. Time: 4m. 37 3-5s.

440-Yard Dash.—Won by Guething, T.; Turner, B., second; Wyman, B., third. Time: 50 4-5s.

Two Mile Run.—Won by Halfacre, T.; McVickar, T., second; Mosher, B., third. Time: 10m. 1s.

220-Yard Dash.—Won by O'Hara, T.; Russert, T., second; Savage, B., third. Time: 22 4-5s.

220-Yard Low Hurdles.—Won by Savage, B.; Webber, B., second; Jackson, T., third. Time: 26 4-5s.

880-Yard Run.—Won by Brown, T.; Turner,



B., second; Guething, T., third. Time: 1m. 58 3-58.

High Jump.—Tie for first between Sullivan, T., and White, B.; Lockwood, T., third. Height: 5 ft. 8½ in.

Shot Put.—Won by Leadbetter, B.; Swain, T., second; Stanley, B., third. Distance: 40 ft. 1 in.

Hammer Throw.—Won by Leadbetter, B.; Swain, T., second; Moulton, B., third. Distance: 146 ft. 3¼ in.

Pole Vault.—Won by Lawrason, T.; Sampson, B., second; Buchanan, T., third. Height: 11 ft. 3 in.

Broad Jump.—Won by Reed, T.; Hall, B., second; Sullivan, T., third. Distance: 22 ft. 7¼ in. (New Tech record.)

Discus Throw.—Won by Moulton, B.; Leadbetter, B., second; Gokey, T., third. Distance: 120 ft. 10 in.

### BOWDOIN MAY HAVE MILITIA

A military preparedness meeting held in the Union last Tuesday evening resulted in considerable enthusiasm for the formation of a military company here next year, and the speakers held forth the militia as the most practical form of military company. The speakers were Adjutant General George McL. Presson of the National Guard of the State of Maine, Captain E. W. Niles, U.S.A. inspector and instructor for the state militia, Captain George E. Fogg '02, N.G. S.M. and Captain Roy L. Marston '99, N.G.S.M.

The militia was set forth as the most favorable form of military organization for the college inasmuch as the government provides the necessary equipment and, if the Federalized militia bill passes Congress, will pay the men for their services. Such a company would be organized as coast artillery, which is considered the best branch of the army. There would be an opportunity for practice on the big guns in the Portland forts, and ten days camping would be provided for.

Joining the militia entails three years obligation to the colors, but anyone completing his college course would receive an honorable discharge. The men would receive special instruction in the school of the officer, in order to be able to hold commissions in time of war.

According to Adjutant General Presson, the government would furnish all individual equipment such as rifles, ammunition, shelter tents, blankets, ponchos, etc.; camping equipment with tents and other necessities, a complete olive drab uniform for all enlisted men, and armory equipment for coast artillery instruction.

The ten day camp of instruction would be given

at one of the forts in Portland, where the men would receive regular army pay. Transportation for officers and transportation and subsistence for enlisted men are furnished. The dates for this encampment can be arranged so as to conflict as little as possible with college or other duties. There will be an opportunity to compete in the state rifle competition each year with transportation and subsistence furnished. There will be the services of an inspector-instructor, a coast artillery officer of the army, and a coast artillery sergeant to conduct the instruction.

The organization would include a captain, a first lieutenant, a second lieutenant, a first sergeant, a quartermaster sergeant, eight sergeants, 12 corporals, two cooks, two mechanics, two musicians, and 81 privates. These men would receive varying pay from \$500 a year for the captain to \$50 for the privates, providing that Congress acts favorably. There will be two drill periods of an hour and a half each week, divided into even periods of infantry and artillery drill. The instruction will progress from the first duties of a private to the working out of the duties of the officer, and a study of the theories of coast artillery.

Those who attended the meeting seemed enthusiastic over the formation of the company. The definite organization cannot come until next fall though initial steps may be taken this spring.

### BOWDOIN WINS ORATORICALS AGAIN

Donald S. White '16, speaking for Bowdoin, won the seventh annual contest of the New England Public Speaking League. Amherst, Wesleyan, and Williams were also represented. White's subject was "Rupert Brooke, the Great Lover." The topic of the evening, by strange coincidence, was Armenia, and the recent atrocities in that country at the hands of the Turks were ably presented by Theodore M. Greene of Amherst who spoke on "Europe's Debt to Armenia," and by Mehran K. Thompson of Wesleyan, who dealt with "The Future of Armenia." Thompson is a native of Armenia, and was an eye witness of the massacres of 1896 which he described with great reality. Even Charles D. Kepner, Jr. of Williams, in his speech on "Internationalism" brought in the Armenian troubles.

This is the fourth of the seven contests which Bowdoin has won, the other three winners being Earl B. Smith '11, Arthur D. Welch '12, and Kenneth E. Ramsay '15. Brown dropped out of the contest this year. Shumway '17 was elected president of the league for the ensuing year. A reception at the Deke house followed the speaking.



## TRACK TEAM HAS CHANCE TO WIN

The Maine Intercollegiate track meet will be held on Whittier Field Saturday under the auspices of Bowdoin. From fourth place three years ago, Bowdoin worked up to second place at Waterville last year, and is within striking distance of first place this year. Coach Magee has been working up a well rounded team, and we have representatives in the dashes as well as in the distances and weights. Dopesters say that Maine will win the meet by six points, but there may be some surprises on Whittier Field Saturday.

In the two dual meets, Maine defeated Colby with practically the same score as that with which we defeated Bates. Our track team made a creditable showing against Tech, though they beat us by ten points. The individual stars for Maine will probably include Rice and Ziegler in the dashes, French in the hurdles, Bell in the half and the mile, Libby and Preti in the two mile, Palmer in the high jump, and Stanley in the weights. Rumor has it that Wunderlich and Dempsey will be unable to run. Colby has Merrill in the quarter, and Joyce in the discus. Irving Howe, the negro runner, has left Colby and will not be in the dashes this year.

Bowdoin will have men in every event. In the dashes are Webber, Savage and Pirnie, and Webber and Savage will also figure in the hurdles. In the quarter there is Crosby; in the half,

Turner and Wyman; in the mile, Irving, Turner and Fillmore, and in the two mile, Irving and Mosher. With Bailey no longer throwing the weights for Maine, Bowdoin should score well in that part of the meet. Leadbetter was the individual star of the Tech meet, and Moulton has been doing well with the discus, while Colbath and Stanley are also to be counted upon. In the pole vault, Sampson is Bowdoin's best man, while White and Hall are our leading jumpers. Maine's team was weakened by graduation last spring and our team has improved so that instead of centering our interest in the contest for second place as we did last year, we shall have the hope of a possible victory.

## TENNIS TOURNAMENT PROGRESSES

All but one match was played off during the past week in the first round of the annual spring tennis tournament. The results are as follows: Flynt '17 defeated Woodworth '18, 6-0, 6-0; Freeman '18 defeated Stanley '18 by default; Head '16 defeated MacCormick '18, 6-2, 6-2; Bird '16 defeated Schlosberg '18, 6-1, 12-14, 6-1; Shumway '17 defeated Stearns '18, 6-1, 6-0; Farnham '18 defeated J. Gray '18, 6-1, 6-2; Little '17 defeated Farmer '18, 6-3, 6-3; Greeley '17 defeated Achorn '17, 6-0, 6-0; Bartlett '17 defeated Mitchell '19, 6-3, 6-4; Keene '17 defeated Higgins '19, 6-0, 6-2.

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## The State Meet

Next Saturday, on Whittier Field, the biggest event of the year in track athletics in this state will take place. When the state meet was held here four years ago Bowdoin could say that she had never been defeated on Whittier Field. That year and the next she was relegated to last place. Since then, under the lead of Coach Magee, there has been a steady improvement, resulting in second place last year. This year Maine is again "doped" for first place but Coach Smith, in a recent statement to the students, has warned them that Bowdoin is to be feared and that Maine must fight her hardest to win.

The result of the Tech meet should not discourage either the team or the college as a whole. Every man on the team may be relied on to fight

every moment and to do his best to bring about a Bowdoin victory in his event. As usual the cheering section can do a lot and steady support of the team by every student will do much toward instilling a winning spirit into the men on the track.

## White's Victory

The result of the seventh contest of the New England Intercollegiate Public Speaking League, held in Memorial Hall Thursday evening, is most gratifying to all friends of Bowdoin. Each year that the Bowdoin representative has won first place, our remarkable lead in these contests has been commented upon. Smith's victory in 1911, Welch's in 1912, and Ramsay's last year gave us good reason for pride and the work of White in being the fourth Bowdoin winner in seven years, defeating speakers of ability from Amherst, Wesleyan and Williams, speaks well for his ability and the work of his coach. The ORIENT wishes to congratulate them in the name of the college.

## COMMUNICATION

### To the Editor of the ORIENT:

I am sorry to notice that the perennial problem regarding the form of the ORIENT has again arisen. I do not know how far back in the past this problem first arose, but I know that it had been discussed before I was an editor, which was now a good many years ago. There are always some members of each Board which favor it, but so far the majority has been against it, and I am very sorry to note that apparently the majority is swinging the other way. I do not know whether you will get many letters from the alumni about it, but I am sure that the vote would be by a large majority in favor of retaining the present shape if all alumni subscribers would express their opinion.

I have a complete file of the ORIENT, except two copies in the first volume, and feel that the bound volumes are of permanent value in the form in which they are. If it was printed in a newspaper form, the bound volume would be unwieldy, and I cannot doubt but that the literary character of the paper would suffer.

If more space is needed, can you not secure it by adding more pages? I had supposed that by changing the place of publication from Lewiston to Brunswick, you were enabled to get the paper out as expeditiously in the present form as you would if it were printed in a newspaper form, and whatever extra expense it causes to have it bound is well worth while in the results secured in presenting a paper of dignified and traditional form rather than a paper which on its face would



be of ephemeral value.

Because of my connection with the paper throughout my college course and my brother's connection with it for five years, I have a strong personal interest in the paper, and I really shall feel very sorry to see a change of form.

Very truly yours,

CLEMENT F. ROBINSON '03.

#### KAPPA SIGMA HOUSE PARTY

The Kappa Sigma fraternity held a dance last Friday evening in the Bowdoin Union. This was the first affair of its kind held in the Union, which, when fitted up with banners and palms, made a most suitable place for the occasion.

The patronesses were Mrs. George T. Files, Mrs. Charles T. Burnett, Mrs. Manton Copeland, and Mrs. Frank M. Stetson of Brunswick, and Mrs. Alvin F. Dean of Portland.

The committee in charge of the house party was composed of Wight '17, chairman, Dean '18, Stetson '18, and Hill '19.

Kelley's banjo orchestra played for an order of 24 dances.

In connection with the house party, there was an informal dance at the New Meadows Yacht Club Saturday evening.

Among the young ladies present were the Misses Flora Somers and Doris Glover of Portland; Evelyn Cobb and Cecilia Christian of South Portland; Mildred Tinker and Eva Farrar of Auburn; Susan Merriam of Yarmouth; Florence Farrington of Lewiston; Ruth Ridley of Tops-ham; Helen Snow of Brunswick; Margaret Rid- lon of Gorham; Marion Tyler of Exeter, N. H.; Mildred Smith and Dorothy Holbrook of Rock- land; Edna Page of Bangor; Olive Morrison of Ellsworth; Lydia Tracy of Bath; Elizabeth Mc- Donald of Lynn, Mass., and Anna Wilde of New Bedford, Mass.

#### COLBY 14, BOWDOIN 2

Saturday's game with Colby on Whittier Field resulted disastrously for Bowdoin. The final score was 14 to 2. More than half of Colby's runs were made on passed balls. Twice the bases were filled and wild pitches allowed the runners all to score. From the Bowdoin stand- point, the game was one of the poorest exhibi- tions of baseball seen here for some time. Only one or two things prevented the game from being tragic. Among these were Boratis' loss of the ball in his chest protector, and a Colby hit se- cured after a pitched ball had hit the plate and bounded into the air. To complete the day's sur- prises, a brisk shower progressed merrily in left field during the fourth inning, while the rest of

the field was in bright sunshine.

In the second inning, Bowdoin scored by a combination of Donnell's two base hit, Kelley's scratch and a walk given to White which forced Donnell home. The third inning was the begin- ning of the end for Bowdoin. Bunched hits, er- rors and wild pitches gave Colby six runs. The same performance was repeated in the sixth inning. Bowdoin's one other run came in the seventh. Phillips hit, Woodman tried to sacri- fice but Phillips was caught at second. Wood- man came home on McElwee's hit.

White pitched 3 1-3 innings, when he was re- placed by Butterfield who struck out 12 men in the remainder of the game. Donnell, who start- ed the game catching, injured his hand and will probably be out of the game for a week. He was replaced by Boratis who caught the last three innings. It is expected that Bradford will be able to resume his position behind the bat next week.

The score:

		COLBY							
		ab	r	bh	po	a	e		
Simpson, 1f		5	2	2	3	2	0		
Nye, 2b		4	2	1	2	2	1		
Driscoll, 3b		5	2	1	3	3	1		
Cawley, p		5	2	0	3	1	1		
Hayes, ss		5	3	1	3	1	1		
Deasy, rf		3	2	1	0	0	0		
Ashworth, c		5	0	2	8	3	1		
Smith, 1b		5	2	3	7	0	0		
Allen, cf		4	0	0	1	0	0		
Totals		41	14	12	27	12	4		
		BOWDOIN							
		ab	r	bh	po	a	e		
Phillips, 1f		3	0	0	0	0	2		
Merrill, 1f		1	0	0	0	0	0		
Woodman, cf		4	1	2	2	0	0		
McElwee, 1b		3	0	1	12	1	0		
Finn, ss		3	0	0	1	1	1		
Donnell, c		3	1	2	6	2	0		
Boratis, c		1	0	0	4	1	0		
Chapman, rf		2	0	1	0	0	0		
Goodskey, rf		1	0	0	0	0	0		
Kelley, 2b		4	0	0	0	2	1		
Larrabee, 3b		3	0	0	2	2	0		
White, p		0	0	0	0	1	0		
Butterfield, p		2	0	0	0	3	0		
*Bradford		1	0	0	0	0	0		

2.—Batted for Butterfield in 9th.

Colby 1 6 0 1 6 0 0—14  
Bowdoin 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0—2

Two base hit, Donnell. Stolen bases, Nye, Dris- coll, Cawley, Smith, McElwee. Sacrifice hit, Nye. Sacrifice fly, Deasy. Double plays, Simpson to Hayes, Simpson to Ashworth, Ashworth to Hayes. Left on bases, Colby 5, Bowdoin 8. First base on errors, Colby 3, Bowdoin 2. Bases on balls, off Cawley 4. Hits and earned runs, off Cawley, hits 6, runs 1 in 9 innings; off Butterfield, hits 8, runs 7 in 6 2-3 innings; off White, hits 4, runs 1 in 2 1-3 innings. Hit by pitcher, by Cawley (McElwee, Larrabee); by White (Simpson); by Butterfield (Deasy, Allen). Struck out, by Cawley 9, by White 2, by Butterfield 12. Wild pitches, Butterfield 3. Passed balls, Don- nell 2. Umpire, Daley. Time, 2:45.

#### INTERFRATERNITY BASEBALL

BETA THETA PI I, ALPHA DELTA PHI O

The first "sunrise" baseball game of the sea- son was won by the Betas from the Alpha Deltas, last Tuesday morning. Robinson '19, of the



Kappa Sigs, caught for the Alpha Deltis in the absence of the regular catcher. The score:

Betas .....	0	0	0	1	x—1
Alpha Deltis .....	0	0	0	0	0—0
Batteries: W. P. Woodman '16 and Robinson '19; Pendleton '18 and Carll, Mëdic '18. Umpire: A. O. Moulton '18.					

#### PSI UPSILON 10, THETA DELTA CHI 8

The first game to be played in the Division A, was won by the Psi U's, who defeated the Theta Deltis by a score of 10 to 8, Tuesday afternoon. Johnson '19 fielded well for the Psi U's. One of the features of the game was a remarkable "shoe-string" catch by McCulloch in the first of the seventh. The score:

Psi U's .....	3	0	1	4	2	0	0—10
Theta Deltis .....	1	0	1	2	1	0	3—8
Batteries: Keene '17 and Head '16; McCulloch '19, Beal '16 and Burr '19. Umpire: Bradford '17.							

#### KAPPA SIGMA 12, ZETA PSI 2

In a one-sided contest, the Kappa Sigs won their second game of the series, Wednesday afternoon, defeating the Zetes 12 to 2. The only runs scored by the losers came in the first of the sixth, while the Kappa Sigs made runs in every inning except the second and fifth. The score:

Kappa Sigs .....	1	0	5	4	0	2	x—12
Zetes .....	0	0	0	0	2	0—2	
Batteries: McPherson '19 and Robinson '19; Marston '17, Small '19 and Niven '16. Umpires: Grant '18 and Berryman '18.							

#### LEAGUE STANDING Division A

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Psi Upsilon .....	1	0	1.000
Delta Kappa Epsilon .....	0	0	.000
Delta Upsilon .....	0	0	.000
Phi Theta Upsilon .....	0	0	.000
Theta Delta Chi .....	0	1	.000
Division B			
Kappa Sigma .....	2	0	1.000
Beta Theta Pi .....	1	0	1.000
Alpha Delta Phi .....	1	1	.500
Beta Chi .....	0	1	.000
Zeta Psi .....	0	2	.000

#### TWO DUAL TENNIS MATCHES HERE

Manager Stone '17 has announced that the dual tennis match between Bates and Bowdoin will take place here on Wednesday, May 10, and the match with University of Maine the following Friday, May 12. The games will probably be held on the Deke and Delta U. tennis courts.

#### PROFESSOR HORMELL ON BUDGET-MAKING

A bulletin upon "Budget-Making for Maine Towns" was published recently by Professor Orren C. Hormell. This pamphlet is the second in the Municipal Research Series published by Bowdoin College. The first part of this bulletin is devoted to a discussion of the financial problems of typical Maine towns. "Population and property valuation are increasing but slowly while the demands for new and better services are growing by leaps and bounds." How shall these new demands be met without raising the tax-rate? Several plans have been tried out—the town manager system; a business-like system of accounting; a finance commission, reporting the estimated receipts and expenditures, with recommendations to the town meeting; the "Committee of Twelve," which is similar to the finance commission, with the exception that its members are appointed and not elected by ballot. There are four essential steps in budget-making:—collection of data by the committee; a public hearing at least a week before town meeting, when the requests of officials and citizens may be presented; a complete report and recommendations of the committee, published in the local paper during the week previous to the election; and the final report of the committee, printed and distributed to the voters in the town meeting. Appended to the text, is a typical report of a financial committee.

In the second part of his pamphlet, Professor Hormell describes the method of analysing the expenditures of a town, with illustrative diagrams and tables showing the advantages of such an analysis.

#### COLLEGE EDUCATION

About every so often one finds in some newspaper or magazine a discussion of the value of the college education to the average young man. To the thinker it would seem that there could hardly be any two opinions at the present stage of our intellectual development, but the subject continues to be a debatable one. In the *Independent*, Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the United States Steel Corporation, touches the matter as follows:

"Frequently I have been asked whether I think a college education is worth the time and money necessary to obtain it. This depends on what is meant by a college education, and also on the standard of value by which it is to be judged. It is a pleasant thing to have, and if one is young enough and has time and money enough, a very desirable thing. But considered solely as a money investment with a view to adding to the earning

power, I rather doubt if the average college course in the liberal arts is entitled to all the credit it sometimes receives, though it is important and should have consideration. The case is different with the technical education obtained in the scientific departments of many of our large universities. Their graduates have a highly specialized knowledge that is immediately saleable."

So far as the utilitarian aspect goes Judge Gary seems to have made a fair enough and impartial statement. Judge Gary, like many others, however, seems to overlook that return on a course in college which cannot be expressed in actual hard cash. A college course ought to be worth the time and money a young man spends in acquiring it, if for no other reason than the pleasure and satisfaction it brings him in a broadened outlook and capacity for enjoying the best there is in life.

An education that makes cultivated citizens, able to understand the life and movements of the country in which they live, to appreciate the best in art and literature, must be of great value to society. As it has been very aptly put, "learning to earn," is not all there is in life. "Learning to live," is an equally important part of the ideal system of education.—Portland Evening Express.

### The Other Colleges

Harry Murchie, Dartmouth's 1916 hockey captain, was not awarded insignia this year, the first time in many years when a varsity captain failed to make his letter.

Interesting results of the customary voting on the academic Senior statistical blanks have been published by the Yale News. It was found that for the education of 325 Seniors slightly over a million dollars has been required. It is figured that \$4,073 is the average expenditure for the four years. The highest figure reported was \$15,000 for the four years while another reported an expense of \$800. It is noteworthy that 120 members of the class have earned their way wholly or in part.

The University of Colorado is trying a new system of debate tryouts this year, whereby each debater will have to depend partly on his knowledge of the question, and partly on his ability to make extemporaneous speeches. He will not know which side of the question he is going to speak upon until he stands on the platform.

During the past year, 35% of the students registered at the University of Illinois have earned a part or all of their expenses.

A course in domestic science is being planned for the men students at the University of Texas.

A stock company has been organized by members of the Sophomore Class at Yale for the purpose of raising funds for the construction of a new dormitory.

This coming June will witness the semi-centennial celebration of Lehigh University, founded in 1866 by an act of the Pennsylvania Legislature. Lehigh's growth has been very remarkable from a student body of 40 to one of 770; a teaching force of 7 to a faculty of 78; and a building equipment of one edifice to 20 buildings on the present campus.

According to the statistics recently prepared by Dr. William G. Anderson, director of the Yale gymnasium, the Yale man of today is better developed and stands more erect than the student twenty-five years ago. The average age of the class of 1894 was 19.1 years and the average height 68.1 inches, while the class of 1919 averages 18.9 years of age and has a height of 69.1 inches. The chest, normal, in 1890, was 33.4 inches, and 35.7 inches when expanded. In 1915, the corresponding averages were 34.8 inches, normal, and 36.7 inches, expanded.

An undergraduate at Lafayette has recently figured out that he has danced 1,893.9 miles. The ambition of this student is to dance around the globe, or at least cross the Atlantic Ocean. Number of dances since starting three years ago, 250. Average number of dances an evening, 20; making a total of 5,000 dances. Calculating the distance covered during one dance and encores at 2,000 feet, he has danced 1,893.9 miles.

The student store at the University of California is a fine example of the success that such an organization can have if backed by the students. Its gross profits have increased since its establishment from \$9,979.02 to \$27,698.31. The store operates under the rebate system giving out in rebates in 1915, \$4110, nearly one thousand dollars more than in the preceding year. The store is also interested in the establishment of a College Union.

### Club and Council

The annual meeting of the Debating Council for the election of officers was held Thursday afternoon. The following were elected: president, Moran '17; manager, Jacob '18; secretary, Lane '17. The annual banquet of the council will be held at New Meadows the latter part of this month.

The Classical Club have elected Oliver '17, president, and Jacob '18, secretary, for the coming year. Certificates of membership, in Latin, have been given to the members.

## On the Campus

Sanderson '18 has left college.

The second baseball team goes to Hebron tomorrow.

Corbett '17 was recently called home by the death of his father.

They say that Maine is planning a celebration in Portland after the track meet.

Tickets for the Ivy Play will go on sale in the manager's room in the Gymnasium on May 25.

Those who have not signed for the last installment of their scholarship are requested to do so at once.

Last Friday afternoon, a short practice baseball game was held between the Bowdoin and Brunswick High teams.

Mr. Wilder attended the session of the New England College Librarians in Cambridge, Mass., last Friday and Saturday.

Among those on the *campus* last week were Austin Cary '87, Clifton Page '13, Edward R. Ellwell '15, and P. W. Porritt '15.

A party of Bowdoin men including Hodgkins '16, Noyes '17, Bigelow '18, and Sanderson '18, attended the Tech meet last Friday.

The senior caps and gowns made their first appearance at chapel vespers Sunday, but the heavy thunder shower kept the wearers besieged in the chapel after the service.

Stanley '18 was injured by a blow from a discus during track practice on Whittier Field last week. For two days he was on crutches but is now in an improved condition.

The Delta will be free at four o'clock each afternoon for interfraternity baseball games, and they should be played on schedule time if possible. There are already a number of "hang over" games.

Professor Hormell recently returned from a several days' trip through Eastern Maine, stopping, among other places, at Dover, Foxcroft, Bangorville and Bar Harbor. At these places he lectured on matters pertaining to better municipal government.

Burleigh '17 and four other students had a narrow escape last Thursday when, while driving along this side of Freeport, they were run into by a party of joy-riders. Burleigh's car was badly damaged and the other car was completely demolished. Fortunately no one was hurt.

After Friday, May 5, students making up gymnasium work will be required to pay the instructor. No make-up work will be accepted unless done under an approved instructor and ac-

cording to the regular schedule. The schedule and instructor must be approved by the director.

## CALENDAR

May

9. Kappa Sigma vs. Beta Theta Pi.
10. Bowdoin vs. Colby at Waterville.  
Second team vs. Hebron at Hebron.  
Psi Upsilon vs. Phi Theta Upsilon.  
Alexander Trials.
11. Alpha Delta Phi vs. Beta Chi.
12. Bowdoin vs. Maine at Orono.  
Delta Kappa Epsilon vs. Theta Delta Chi.  
Delta Upsilon house party.
13. Maine Intercollegiate Track Meet, Whittier Field.  
10 A. M. trials.  
2.15 P. M. finals.
15. Bowdoin vs. Bates, Whittier Field.  
Zeta Psi vs. Beta Chi.
16. Psi Upsilon vs. Delta Upsilon.
17. Bowdoin vs. Tufts, Whittier Field.
18. Alpha Delta Phi vs. Kappa Sigma.
19. Theta Delta Chi vs. Phi Theta Upsilon.

## Alumni Department

A communication regarding the organization of the Bowdoin Alumni of Worcester has been received by this department. At a dinner in the Worcester Automobile Club, April 27, Bowdoin men in and around Worcester met and organized to the extent of electing a secretary who should be the means of communication between the various men in the city and county, and who might also act in the capacity of informing such bodies of the alumni as might be interested what the attitude of the alumni of that city is toward the physical and athletic activities of the College in connection with the educational.

Among the alumni present were: Joseph K. Greene '55, E. V. Scribner, Medic. '80, of the Worcester State Hospital; B. H. Mason, Medic. '07, his first assistant; Assistant Principal C. A. Towle '99, of the Worcester Academy; H. W. Lancy '99; C. S. Bavis '06; L. M. Erskine '07; H. C. L. Ashley '12; W. S. Greene '13; Roy Ashley *ex-'18*, and John Leydon '07, of Philadelphia.

'92.—Lyman K. Lee, of Foxcroft, was elected president of the organization of the Maine State Coal Dealers at their annual meeting.

'97.—Eugene C. Vining, superintendent of schools in Billerica, Mass., is completing his fifteenth year of service in that capacity.

'01.—Word has been received of the death of Dr. Hugh F. Quinn, of Bangor. Dr. Quinn died

at his home on April 29th, after an illness which extended over several months. He was a student of bacteriology in the State Laboratory in Augusta after his graduation from Bowdoin. Later he became a practicing physician in Philadelphia, Penn. About three years ago he returned to his home city where he has since been practicing. For two years he was milk inspector of the city of Bangor. He is survived by two sisters.

'02.—Eugene R. Kelley is Director of the Division of Communicable Diseases at the Massachusetts State Department of Health, located in the State House, at Boston.

'06.—Joseph M. Boyce, superintendent of the Little Dora mine at Silverton, Colorado, has recently discovered what is claimed to be the largest tungsten deposit in the world. According to the *Durango Democrat*, several large steel companies are trying to corner the Silverton field; which is worth millions of dollars. Boyce discovered a vein three and a half feet wide, the strike being made at a depth of 520 feet, 1300 feet into the hill. The price of tungsten has gone up since the war began, since it is necessary in the hardening of steel, and the discovery will prove of great value, for there are few large tungsten deposits in the country. Boyce has been with the Little Dora mine since 1911, and is an expert chemist and mineralogist.

'13.—Alfred H. Sweet has received from Cornell University an appointment as President White Fellow in History for the next academic year. This is a travelling fellowship, and, as holder of it, Mr. Sweet will spend the year in research work in England.

'15.—Edward R. Elwell has returned to Portland from Akron, Ohio, where he was with the Goodyear Co. He will take up his residence in Portland, and will be connected with the Burnham & Morrill Co. of that city.

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## BOWDOIN AGAIN SECOND IN STATE MEET

The honors of the Twenty-second annual track and field meet, held on Whittier Field last Saturday went to the University of Maine with 61 points. Bowdoin was second with 39, and Colby and Bates were tied with 13 each. New records were set in the high jump, broad jump and shot put. Savage '18 ran both hurdle races in record time but was favored by a strong breeze so the records were not allowed to stand. Rice of Maine also equalled the records in the 100 yard and 220 yard dashes but his records will also not be allowed for the same reason. Leadbetter and Savage were Bowdoin's star performers.

Three records were broken by Maine men. Palmer raised his own record in the high jump from 5 to 10 inches to 6 feet 1 $\frac{1}{4}$  inch. French set up a record of 22 feet 9 $\frac{3}{4}$  inches in the broad jump, displacing Faulkner of Bowdoin's record of 22 feet 4 $\frac{3}{4}$  inches. Allen put the shot 46.35 feet bettering the record held by Shepard of Bates of 44 feet 4 $\frac{1}{2}$  inches.

The hurdle races were most interesting from a Bowdoin standpoint. Savage '18 won both in pretty races with French of Maine a good second. Webber '16 finished third in both races. Savage's time was 15 4-5 seconds in the highs and 24 2-5 seconds in the lows were both records but were not allowed.

As was expected, Bowdoin did not show much strength in the distance events. The mile was won by Bell of Maine. O'Brian of Colby fought out a pretty race for second with Herrick of Maine. The two mile was a contest between M. K. Thompson of Colby and Gregory of Bates who won in the dual meet here two weeks ago. Preti of Maine showed a bad reversal of form, finishing a poor third. It is reported that he has been suffering from a severe cold.

In the 880 yard run, Bell of Maine and Crosby '17 were the interesting contenders. After passing and repassing each other, Bell finally gained a lead in the final stretch.

The 440 yard run was won on the home stretch by Lawrence of Bates, with MacBride of Maine second. Turner '19 was the third man to place.

Hutton of Maine injured his ankle in the pole vault trials but was able to tie for second in the afternoon in spite of his handicap. Sampson '16

won this event at 10 feet 6 inches.

Leadbetter '16 won the hammer at 155.02 feet but on a foul he threw it 170 feet. He and French of Maine were high point winners of the meet, each taking 11 points. Rice of Maine, Bell of Maine and Savage '18 each won two firsts for a total of 10 points.

The meet went off very smoothly and the management is to be congratulated. The somewhat extensive bleachers to accommodate the Maine men, proved unnecessary as only about half the number expected arrived.

Following is the summary:

100 Yard Dash.—First trial heat, won by O. C. Lawry of Maine; second, C. M. Zeigler of Maine; third, L. Webber of Bowdoin; time 10 sec. Second trial heat, won by C. A. Rice of Maine; B. T. Barrows of Bates, second; F. E. Donovan of Maine, third; time 10 sec. Final heat, won by C. A. Rice of Maine; O. C. Lawry of Maine, second; C. M. Zeigler of Maine, third; time, 9 4-5 sec. (Equals record but not allowed on account of wind.)

220 Yard Dash.—Won by C. A. Rice of Maine C. M. Zeigler of Maine, second; F. E. Donovan of Maine, third; time, 21 4-5 sec. (Equals Rice's own record.)

440 Yard Dash.—First trial heat, won by MacBride of Maine; P. S. Turner of Bowdoin, second; E. H. Connors of Bates, third; time, 54 sec. Second trial heat, won by W. F. Lawrence of Bates; A. S. Gray of Bowdoin, second; I. Merrill of Colby, third; time, 56 3-5 sec. Finals, won by W. F. Lawrence of Bates; MacBride of Maine, second; P. S. Turner of Bowdoin, third; time, 53 4-5 sec.

880 Yard Run.—Won by R. W. Bell of Maine; C. H. Crosby of Bowdoin, second; E. J. Dempsey of Maine, third; time 2 min. 2 1-5 sec.

Mile Run.—Won by R. W. Bell of Maine; W. Brian of Colby, second; C. S. Herrick of Maine, third; time, 4 min., 34 4-5 sec.

Two Mile Run.—Won by M. K. Thompson of Colby; C. A. Gregory of Bates, second; F. P. Preti of Maine, third; time, 10 min., 9 2-5 sec.

120 Yard High Hurdles.—Won by W. A. Savage of Bowdoin; F. A. French of Maine, second; L. Webber of Bowdoin, third; time 15 4-5 sec. (Record not allowed to stand on account of the

wind.)

220 Yard Low Hurdles.—Won by W. A. Savage of Bowdoin; F. A. French of Maine, second; L. Webber of Bowdoin, third; time 24 2-5 sec. (Record not allowed on account of the wind.)

Running High Jump.—Won by G. C. Palmer of Maine, height, 6 ft., 1 1/4 in. (New record); W. D. Pinkham of Bates, second, height, 5 ft., 3 1/4 in.; H. S. White of Bowdoin, third, height, 5 ft., 6 1/4 in.

Running Broad Jump.—Won by F. A. French of Maine, distance 22 ft., 9 3/4 in., (new record); R. R. Pierce of Maine, second; distance 21 ft., 3 1/4 in.; H. S. Rowe of Maine, third; distance 21 ft. 1/2 in.

Pole Vault.—Won by H. H. Sampson of Bowdoin, height, 10 ft. 6 in.; H. D. Drew of Bates, M. L. Warren of Bowdoin, P. Mayers of Colby and R. Hutton of Maine, tied for second; height, 10 feet.

16 Pound Shot Put.—Won by W. H. Allen of Maine, distance 46.35 ft., (new record); G. W. Leadbetter of Bowdoin, second, distance, 42.19 ft.; A. C. Adam of Bates, third; distance, 37.05 ft.

16 Pound Hammer Throw.—Won by G. W. Leadbetter of Bowdoin, distance, 155.02 ft.; T. Joyce of Colby, second, distance, 133.45 ft.; W. F. Stanley of Maine, third, distance, 131.93 ft.

Discus Throw.—Won by J. B. Moulton of Bowdoin, distance 123.38 ft.; G. W. Leadbetter of Bowdoin, second; distance, 122.36 ft.; T. Joyce of Colby, third; distance, 116.33 feet.

#### PLATTSBURG IN PICTURES TONIGHT

Thomas L. Pierce '98 will give an illustrated lecture on Plattsburg at the Union this evening. This address will be for all who are interested in the training camp plans, whether they intend to be present at Plattsburg this summer or not. Mr. Pierce will describe the work at the camps and specific details will be given which should prove especially valuable to those who are planning to attend this year.

#### COLLEGE HOBOES ARRESTED

The Waterville police detained nearly fifty college hoboes from Maine and Bowdoin attempting to make the trip from Bangor to Brunswick Friday night. The Bowdoin men were returning from the baseball game at Orono and the Maine men were on the way to the meet. After spending the night in the police station, the men were released through the efforts of President Roberts of Colby, who, it is reported, supplied the necessary financial assistance for some to return. A member of the ORIENT staff who was our spe-

cial correspondent on the expedition thus describes it:

"Sixty of us gathered in the Brunswick yards Thursday evening, but half the men took the train to Freeport by mistake. A number rode to Orono in a car filled with soft coal, and on arriving there, took refuge in the Maine gymnasium. The real difficulty began Friday night when 200 Maine men joined us, nosily boarding the train. Half of them were left at Pittsfield, but the rest were captured at Waterville by the officers who had been warned. All the available hand-cuffs in town were pressed into service. We were in the cells from midnight until ten the next morning. The case was not taken to court, but each man was required to pay the fare from Bangor to Waterville and legal expenses. We arrived in Brunswick too late for the meet."

#### TENNIS TEAM TAKES TWO TOURNAMENTS

The Bowdoin tennis team easily defeated the Bates Wednesday afternoon on the Deke and Delta U. courts. The Bowdoin four won both doubles and three out of the four singles matches. A raw wind, constantly blowing dust across the courts, made the conditions far from ideal for tennis.

The summary:

Doubles matches: Greely '17 and Flynt '17 defeated the Purington brothers of Bates, 1-6, 6-1, 6-3; Bartlett '17 and Woodman '16 defeated Mills and Stillman of Bates, 8-10, 6-1, 6-3.

Singles matches: Greely '17 defeated A. Purington of Bates 6-3, 6-2; Woodman '16 defeated Stillman of Bates 4-6, 6-1, 6-3; E. Purington of Bates defeated Flynt '17, 6-4, 6-2; Bartlett '17 defeated Mills of Bates 6-2, 6-3.

#### BOWDOIN 4, MAINE 2

The team was again victorious Friday afternoon, defeating the University of Maine team Friday afternoon in one of the doubles and three of the singles matches. As on Wednesday afternoon, weather conditions were hard for the players, a stiff wind carrying the ball at will.

The summary:

Doubles matches: Flynt '17 and Greely '17 defeated Hurd and Rollins of Maine 6-1, 7-5; Kilburn and Cram of Maine defeated Bartlett '17 and Woodman '16, 6-3, 5-7, 6-4.

Singles matches: Bartlett '17 defeated Cram of Maine 8-6, 6-3; Flynt '17 defeated Rollins of Maine 6-2, 6-0; Greely '17 defeated Hurd of Maine 2-6, 6-2, 6-1; Kilburn of Maine defeated Woodman '16, 6-4, 7-5.

#### NO COMMENCEMENT PLAY

The Dramatic Club has decided not to give

a play at Commencement this year, and the announcement of "The Taming of the Shrew," previously issued, is hereby cancelled. In view of the Shakespeare commemorations which will form part of the Commencement programme at many colleges and of the increasing interest which the students and Brunswick people have each year accorded the performance, the Club has come to this decision with great reluctance. But its funds are insufficient to engage a coach from outside to take over the work of the regular coach, who is ill; and various plans which the management has been working on with the view of overcoming the difficulty have not proved feasible. The Club will concentrate its energies upon the Ivy Play, "Mrs. Dot," and endeavor to make this an exceptional success. A performance of it will be given at the Highland Club House, West Roxbury, Mass., on May 27, with eleven men in the cast. The Club hopes that next year, through increased interest on the part of friends of the College, it will be enabled to secure more dates for outside performances and thus better its financial resources. The Club desires to urge this matter upon the consideration of the Alumni. With their interest and assistance in such manner, undergraduate acting at Bowdoin might presently attain the importance, in relation to other activities, which it has deservedly won in rival colleges.

G. R. E.

#### DELTA UPSILON HOUSE PARTY

Delta Upsilon held its annual house party and dance at the chapter house last Friday and Saturday. The house was decorated with palms and flowers, and the dance hall was effectively decorated in Japanese style.

The patronesses were Mrs. Ellen D. Pettingill of Lewiston, Mrs. Frederick W. Brown, Mrs. William H. Davis, and Mrs. Samuel B. Furbish of Brunswick.

The committee in charge of the house party was composed of Pettingill '16, chairman, Crossman '16, Stride '17, Jacob '18, and Tebbets '19.

A formal dance was held Friday evening, the party went to the meet Saturday and in the afternoon enjoyed a motor boat trip to Gurnet and a shore dinner which was followed by an informal dance.

Among the young ladies present at the party were the Misses Hazel Lane, Dorothy Estes, Leone Golder of Lewiston, Verna Soule, Helen Freeman, Dorothy Paul, Jeanette Churchill, Blanche Plummer, Margaret Briggs of Auburn; Elsie Vinal, Anne Orswell of New Bedford, Mass.; Marion Alexander, Georgina Shaylor

of Portland; Mildred Doly, Mary Freese of Framingham, Mass.; Marion Twambly, Blanche Bryant of Biddeford; Ruth Moore of Saco; Hazel Cobb of Gardiner; Margaret Torrey of Bath; Clara Parker of Goffston, N. H.; Miriam Brackett of Phillips; Kate Pletts of Brunswick; Lida Webb of Yarmouth; Rachel Kitchin of Moosup, Conn.; Flora Norton of Waterville.

Music was furnished by Gibson's orchestra of Portland.

#### OXFORD ALUMNI HOLD MEETING

The Bowdoin Alumni Association of Oxford County held an enthusiastic meeting at Rumford last Tuesday evening. Thirty alumni from Bethel, Rumford, and the surrounding towns were present, and the old organization was renewed. Professor Mitchell represented the college. Judge A. E. Herrick '73 presided, and the other speakers were Ralph T. Parker '95, Aretas E. Stearns '90 and Dr. A. L. Stanwood, Medic. '76. The association elected the following officers for the coming year: President, Judge A. E. Herrick '73 of Bethel, secretary-treasurer, Dr. Bradford Andrews '06, and executive committee Aretas E. Stearns '90, Ralph T. Parker '95, and Fred B. Merrill '00.

Those present were A. E. Stearns '90, Dr. C. M. Bisbee '71, W. B. Mitchell '90, Supt. F. H. Byram '04, Rev. T. C. Chapman '94, Henry Nelson '91, W. W. Kilgore '86, H. H. Hastings '90, H. A. Briggs '12, W. D. Eddy '14, D. B. Andrews '06, C. M. McCarthy '00, Dr. J. M. Sturdivant '09, Dr. J. S. Sturdivant '84, Dr. D. L. Hanlon '97, G. R. Ashworth *ex-'10*, J. A. Green '03, Dr. A. L. Stanwood '76, F. B. Merrill '00, Dr. H. W. Stanwood '08, R. T. Parker '95, Rev. M. O. Bolster '09, and Hon. A. E. Herrick '93.

#### PLATTSBURG EXPENSES MAY BE PAID

The joint committee on military affairs has reported to Congress a bill providing for the federalization of the militia, and also for the transportation, uniforms, subsistence, medical care and incidentals for all men going to Plattsburg or similar camps. This bill, if passed, will provide for the payment of all necessary expenses, so that many who could not afford it heretofore, will be able to attend.

#### 1918 ELECTS BUGLE BOARD

The 1918 *Bugle* board will be as follows: Editor-in-chief, Norton; business manager, Matthews; assistant business manager, A. S. Gray; art editor, Mooers. The associate editors are Albion, Brierly, J. E. Gray, Hurlin, Jacob, Prosser, Ridlon and Savage.



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## College Tennis Court

Each spring brings out anew the need of a college tennis court or courts, maintained primarily for the use of the team. The fraternity courts are not sufficient in number for adequate practice for the team without infringing on the rights of their owners. When the 'varsity wishes practice or tournament matches are being held, the management is compelled to request some fraternity to give up the use of its court for the occasion. Although the manager's request is granted willingly, it is unfair to the fraternities to ask the favor year after year.

Nor are the fraternity courts of sufficient quality for intercollegiate tournaments or important matches. Nearly all of the existing courts have defects either in the building or the maintenance

which should forbid their use when visiting players are here. The candidates for tennis manager at present have very little to do. If the college would build some substantial courts for the use of the team and the management would aid in their maintenance, conditions in tennis would be materially improved.

## WHAT 1916 WILL DO IN THE WORLD

The college used to send its graduates into the law, medicine, and the ministry. Times have changed, however, and statistics gathered from the seniors show that 30 will take up business on leaving college, while 16 will do graduate work, and 11 will go into teaching. The rest are divided between the ministry, journalism, and law, while a number have not yet made up their minds. The individual record is:

Barrett, medicine; Bate, law; Baxter, business; Beal, teaching; Bird, business; Brackett, publishing business; Brewster, teaching; Bridge, undecided; Brown, graduate work at Princeton; Burnham, undecided; Campbell, ministry; Canney, Andover Theological School; Carter, chemist; Cartland, Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Chase, journalism; Churchill, undecided; Cronin, business; Crossman, graduate work at Harvard; Cuff, Harvard Medical School; Drapeau, law; Drummond, business; Dunn, Harvard Law School; Dyar, teaching; Edwards, teaching; Elliott, business; Evans, journalism; Foster, business; Fraser, undecided; Fuller, business; Garland, undecided; George, business; Ginty, business; Goodskey, teaching; Grierson, teaching; Hale, Harvard Medical School; Hall, undecided; Hart, business; Hawes, insurance business; Head, Harvard Business School of Administration; Hescok, teaching; Hight, teaching; Hodgkins, business; Ireland, business; Irving, graduate work in Biology at Harvard; Kelley, music; Kinsey, graduate work in Biology at Harvard; Larrabee, teaching; Leadbetter, graduate work at John Hopkins University; Little, business; Littlefield, business; Lord, Massachusetts Institute of Technology; MacDonald, medicine; McElwee, undecided; Merrill, medicine; Moulton, business; Nickerson, medicine; Noble, law; Olson, business; L. F. Parmenter, business; R. C. Parmenter, teaching; Parsons, Harvard Law School; Pettingill, business; Proctor, undecided; Richardson, teaching; Robie, business; Sayward, insurance business; Schwartz, business; Stratton, business; Stuart, steel business; Thomas, undecided; Trust, ministry; Weatherill, graduate work in chemistry at Harvard; Weick, law; D. S. White, graduate work at Princeton; L. R. White, medicine; Winter, teaching; Wood, bus-

iness; Woodman, business; Yenetchi, business.

### BOWDOIN 1, COLBY 0

Bowdoin came back at Colby last Wednesday at Waterville with a score of 1 to 0, helping to make up for the defeat of the previous week.

It was a hard, closely-fought game throughout, but the wonderful pitching of "Gramp" White, from whom but two scant hits were made, and the brilliant fielding of the entire Bowdoin team made it impossible for Colby to score a run. This is Bowdoin's first victory in the Maine series, and the style of playing smacked greatly of a championship team.

Bowdoin hit Mathews, the Colby pitcher, safely four times, two of the hits being together and accounting for the run. It happened in the fourth inning and was accomplished by Bowdoin's run getting combination McElwee and Finn. With one man out Captain McElwee crashed a long one out over center field and only the size of the field prevented it from being an easy three bagger. As it was, he got two bases on it, and then Finn with a pretty hit to left brought him in. That was the end of the scoring, and although Bowdoin came back dangerously at times, succeeded in getting no more runs.

In the ninth inning Colby started a short-lived batting rally. Cawley got to first on an error, and Deasey followed up with a clean hit through second. It began to look interesting for Colby, and her enthusiasts sent up a wild roar from the grandstand at the possibility of a run. Ashworth, the catcher, a good batter, was up. He hit a warm one along third, but it fouled. The next one would decide the game. Despite the howling crowd, White collected himself, wound up, and sent over a big drop that completely fooled the Colby man, and he was out.

The summary:

#### BOWDOIN

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Goodskey, 2b	4	0	0	2	2	0
Chapman, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
McElwee, 1b	4	1	1	10	1	0
Finn, ss	4	0	1	4	2	0
Woodman, cf	2	0	1	3	0	0
Larrabee, 3b	0	0	0	1	1	1
Phillips, c	3	0	0	2	1	0
Bradford, c	3	0	0	4	2	0
White, p	3	0	1	0	1	0
Total	27	1	4	27	10	3

#### COLBY

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Simpson, lf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Nye, 2b	4	0	0	1	1	0
Driscoll, 3b	3	0	0	5	5	1
Cawley, ss	4	0	0	1	2	0
Deasey, rf	4	0	1	1	1	0
Ashworth, c	3	0	0	4	2	1
Smith, 1b	3	0	0	10	1	0
Allen, cf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Mathews, p	3	0	0	0	2	0

Totals	30	0	2	27	14	3
Bowdoin	0	0	0	1	0	0
Colby	0	0	0	0	0	0
Earned run—Bowdoin 1. Two-base hits—McElwee, Finn. Stolen bases—Chapman, Ashworth. Struck out—by White, 7; by Mathews, 3. Double plays—Finn to McElwee to Larrabee; Phillips to Finn. Deasey to Smith. Left on bases—Bowdoin 4, Colby 6. Hit by pitched ball—by White, Driscoll. Passed ball—Bradford. Base on balls—off White, Allen, Ashworth; off Mathews, Woodman 2, Larrabee. Sacrifice hits—Larrabee 2. Umpire, Conway. Time, 2:20.						

### MAINE 13, BOWDOIN 2

Bowdoin can offer little excuse for its bad defeat at the hands of Maine last Friday. After holding Colby as well as it did Wednesday, it seemed almost certain that the team could do equally as well with Maine; but it didn't, and 13 to 2 was the score at the end of the seventh inning when the umpire called the game on account of darkness.

Bowdoin's two first string pitchers were batted out of the box by the third inning, after eleven runs had been made by Maine. Hight then went to the box and Maine secured but two runs from him for the rest of the game. Some good playing on the part of the Bowdoin team marked the game. Phillips made a good catch of Hackett's long fly in the third, and Donnell smashed out a three base hit bringing in Bradford in the fourth. This and another tally made in the same inning were all the runs that Bowdoin was able to get.

The summary:—

#### MAINE

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Wentworth, rf	4	2	1	0	0	0
Lawry, 2b	5	1	2	2	1	0
Hackett, 1b	5	1	2	9	0	2
Rowe, 3b	5	1	2	0	3	0
Fendleton, ss	4	1	0	1	2	0
Gorham, lf	4	1	2	1	0	1
Reardon, c	2	3	1	8	0	0
S. Phillips, cf	3	2	1	0	0	0
Driscoll, p	3	1	1	0	2	0

Totals	31	13	12	21	8	3
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#### BOWDOIN

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Goodskey, 2b	4	0	0	2	1	1
Chapman, rf	4	0	0	1	0	1
McElwee, 1b	3	0	1	8	1	0
Finn, ss	3	0	0	2	2	1
Woodman, cf	2	1	2	0	0	0
Larrabee, 3b	2	0	0	2	1	1
F. Phillips, lf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Bradford, c	3	1	0	3	4	0
Butterfield, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
White, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
*Donnell	1	0	1	0	0	0
Hight, p	1	0	0	0	1	0

Totals	25	2	4	21	10	4
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\*—Batted for White in 4th.

Maine ..... 6 0 5 1 0 1 0—13  
Bowdoin ..... 0 0 0 2 0 0 0—2  
Three base hits, Donnell, Hackett. Home run, Rowe. Stolen bases, Reardon, Gorham, Woodman, McElwee. Bases on balls by Butterfield 2, by White 2; by Hight 2. Struck out by Driscoll 6; by White, 2; by Hight. Sacrifice fly, Lawry. Double play, McElwee to Larrabee. Wild pitch, White. Passed ball, Reardon. Umpire, Conway. Time, 1:55.

## INTERFRATERNITY BASEBALL

DELTA Upsilon 5, THETA Delta Chi 0

The Delta U's won their first game last Monday, scoring five runs against the Theta Deltas. A long fly to the pines in the third brought in three runs for the winners, for whom Grierson pitched a good game. The score:

Delta Upsilon ..... 0 0 3 0 2 0 0—5

Theta Delta Chi ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Batteries: Grierson '16 and Babcock '17; Barton '19 and Burr '19. Umpire: McPherson '19.

BETA THETA PI 5, KAPPA SIGMA 1

The Kappa Sigs lost their first game when the Betas defeated them, 5 to 1, Tuesday morning. Pendleton's pitching featured the contest. The score:

Betas ..... 5 0 0 0 0—5

Kappa Sigs ..... 0 0 0 0 1—1

Batteries: Pendleton '18 and Carll, Medic, '18; Boratis '19 and Robinson '19. Umpire: Follett, Medic, '18.

## FIRST SPRING RALLY

The first outdoor rally and sing was held on the Art Building steps last Thursday evening. Captain Leadbetter spoke about the work the track team did in the Tech meet and asked the support of the student body by songs and cheers every time a Bowdoin man came in front of the grandstand in Saturday's meet. Edwards '16 led the cheers, and Kelley '16 conducted the singing.

## THE TROPHY GALLERY

One of the prime delights of the alumni when they come back in June is to go up to the Trophy Gallery in the gymnasium and look over the trophies of their undergraduate years and particularly to view the pictures of themselves as they looked in more youthful days. The gallery presents a better appearance this year than previously, for, under the direction of Dr. Whittier, many new trophies have been procured and the entire collection carefully arranged in a systematic way.

There are four large cases in which trophies are kept. In these are numerous baseballs, footballs, banners, cups, and medals; all representing Bowdoin victories. The collection is by no means complete and never will be, as this is the first real effort to bring them together and naturally many have been lost and destroyed.

The first case on the left as one enters the gallery is largely filled with baseball trophies. There is the first baseball bat used here in a game between the Class of '61 and the Sunrise Club of Brunswick at the Fair Grounds, Topsham, Oct.

10, 1860. The bat is a little longer than those used today, and is made of soft wood. The names of the players are inscribed on it. In this case too, is a collection of baseballs representing victories in that sport from 1875 to 1916. The two oldest balls, given by Dr. G. W. Bourne '79, were used in 1875 in games between the classes of '79 and '80, and '79 and '78. There are also two old balls won by Dr. Bourne in throwing contests in 1878 and 1879. There is a ball given by Dr. C. C. Torrey '84, won in a game against Dartmouth in 1884.

The second case contains many tennis cups and crew trophies. Of the latter, perhaps the most interesting is a banner won by the Varsity crew at the Intercollegiate Races on Lake George, July 3, 1886. This and many other crew trophies are reminders of the days when Bowdoin held the American college championship and the record for four oared shells. The "Bowdoin Navy" cup, competed for by interclass crews, is interesting. When the class of '77 won it in 1875, Robert E. Peary '77 rowed number two, and when the class of '85 captured it, Dr. Whittier rowed the same position. There are also some old crew pictures in this case.

The third case contains mainly track and field trophies. There is a banner won at the New England Meet in 1899 when Walter B. Clark '99, by winning the pole vault decided the meet in Bowdoin's favor. A piece of the pole which he used is found lying on the banner. Here also is the Wing Cup on which are inscribed the names of the greatest point-winners in the Maine meets. So far, the names of Leadbetter '16 and Savage '18 adorn this cup. In this case is also the collection of medals won by H. J. Colbath '10, including the medal for the Maine record in the mile, and the medal won by the late Dr. Sumner Edwards '10, presented just before his death for his record in the 220 yds. dash which also still stands. The banner won at the Second Annual Dual Meet with Tech in 1915 is here together with many other valuable and interesting medals and cups.

Footballers fill the fourth case. They cover a period of sixteen years and the scores printed on them speak well for the teams of former days. Scores like 52 or 68 for Bowdoin to 0 for Bates, Colby and Maine are common. There is an interesting little black inflated rubber ball here which figured in a chapel rush twenty-five or thirty years ago. In this case also is a picture of the first football team to represent the college in 1890, as well as a picture of the team of '99 on which Donald B. McMillan of Arctic fame, was a star half-back.

In addition to the trophies in the cases there are pictures of Bowdoin's various athletic teams on the walls of the Trophy Room. There is a complete set of track team pictures ranging from 1893 to this year. There are old boating pictures showing the famous championship crews of the 80's. In one of these was Dr. Sargent, who was on the first crew that traveled about the country, and the story of how his, and other crews, used to journey from place to place on top of a freight car ducking over-head bridges and guarding their precious thousand dollar shell, is an interesting chapter in the history of Bowdoin sports. There are pictures of the Bowdoin gymnastic squads that used to go about the state performing. Bowdoin had able teams in those days and in some of the pictures we recognize the face of Professor Files, who performed on one of the college's best teams.

Bowdoin victories of the past and present are well recorded here, and there is ample room for those to come.

#### PROMOTION IN RIFLE SHOOTING

A regular course of rifle shooting has been started. The men who score 35 or better from a possible 50, will pass from the first class to the second, and continue to progress through the various distances in the same way. The order in which the distances will be shot is: 1. 200 yards, slow fire, prone; 2. 300 yards, slow fire, prone; 3. 200 yards, rapid fire, kneeling or standing; 4. 300 yards, rapid fire, prone; 5. 500 and 600 yards prone.

The best records are held by Schlossberg '18, who has scored 47 out of a possible 50, several times, at 200 and 300 yards. A number of others have shot at least a 40 from the possible 50.

#### HEBRON DEFEATS SECOND TEAM

Hebron defeated the Bowdoin second last Wednesday at Hebron by the score of 6 to 3. The home team landed on Savage in the third and fourth innings and made all their scores during the two innings. G. Murphy pitched well for Hebron until late in the game when he weakened slightly. The score:

Hebron .....	0 0 3 3 0 0 0 0—6
Bowdoin 2d .....	0 0 0 0 0 1 2 0—3

Batteries: G. Murphy, J. Murphy and Waldin; Savage and Boratis.

#### On the Campus

The Deke house is receiving a coat of white paint.

The road scraper was used to fix up the Delta

last week.

A. D. Holbrook '19 broke his nose in a ball game last week.

Mr. Evans visited schools in Machias and Calais last week.

Many of the campus paths are receiving a needed retopping of cinder this week.

Mr. Wilder spoke at a meeting of the Maine Library Association at Augusta yesterday.

The library has just procured a fifteen volume complete set of the works of Oscar Wilde.

Blanchard '18, Rounds '18, Gorham '19 and Tuttle '19 were recently taken into Beta Chi.

Dean Sills will attend a meeting of college deans of New England at Tufts next Thursday.

A team composed of freshmen beat Topsham High last Wednesday by an uncountable score.

Last Friday Dr. Cram spoke at a teachers meeting at Kezar Falls on the subject "Science in the High School."

Bartlett '17, Flynt '17 and Greeley '17 were picked to represent Bowdoin at the New England Tennis Association tournament at Longwood this week.

Maine scored 60½ points in the meet at Waterville last year and 61 points this year. Bowdoin came up from 32 to 39, Colby dropped from 27 to 13, and Bates rose from 5½ to 13.

Professor Files attended a meeting of the Modern Language Association at Boston University last Friday and Saturday. He is president of the association and presided over the meeting.

The new administrative bulletin is now in preparation and will be ready for distribution by the end of the month. It will contain the reports of the President, the Dean, the Librarian and the Dean of the Medical School.

Gate receipts show that the attendance at the meet was 400 in the morning and 1650 in the afternoon. Maine had 450 representatives, and Colby and Bates 125 each. There were fifty automobiles parked inside the field.

The Class of 1856 is planning to hold its sixtieth reunion at commencement. There are eight living graduates and three other men connected with the class. Of this number nine have promised the class secretary, Mr. George A. Wheeler, that they will be present.

The President's reception will be held this year in the afternoon instead of the evening as usual, and will take place on the Art Building steps. Wednesday evening there will be a band concert and exercises connected with the class reunions.

In connection with the New England Meet at Springfield Saturday, the college songs of the various competing colleges will be played in the evening on the chimes in the campanile of the



municipal buildings. They have recently sent for Bowdoin Beata to be played.

Among those *on the campus* for the meet last week were: J. L. Doherty '89, W. E. Atwood '10, R. L. Eastman '10, D. L. MacMurtrie '13, Norton '13, P. R. Fox '14, J. O. Tarbox '14, C. R. Brown, '14, E. H. Austin '15, L. F. Dow '15, J. B. Lappin '15, F. P. McKenney '15, C. T. Rogers '15, W. G. Tackaberry '15, and E. J. Marshall *ex-'16*.

The Western Maine Association of Theta Delta Chi held its annual banquet at the Portland Country Club last evening. The Eta was represented by about half of the active members, and there were many Bowdoin alumni present. Leon V. Walker '03 is president of the association. Professor Mitchell was one of the speakers.

#### CALENDAR

May

16. Psi Upsilon vs. Delta Upsilon.  
Tennis Team at Longwood.  
Illustrated lecture on Plattsburg in Union  
8:00 P. M.
17. Bowdoin vs. Tufts at Brunswick.
18. Alpha Delta Phi vs. Kappa Sigma.
19. Interscholastic Tennis.
20. N. E. I. A. A. at Springfield.  
Bowdoin vs. Tufts at Medford  
Interscholastic Tennis.
22. Zeta Psi vs. Beta Theta Pi.

#### RESOLUTIONS

The Bowdoin Chapter of Alpha Delta Phi expresses its deepest sorrow at the death of Council Greeley, of Chicago, Ill., a member of the class of 1854. He was one of the founders of Alpha Delta Phi, and one of Bowdoin's oldest graduates. Although not intimate with the fraternity on account of his location, he always had its welfare at heart.

W. P. WOODMAN '16,  
H. S. WHITE '17,  
A. S. GRAY '18,  
*For the Chapter.*

#### Alumni Department

'97.—Rev. Henry E. Dunnack, who was recently appointed to a pastorate in Bangor, was the guest of honor at a dinner of the Bowdoin Club of Bangor recently. Frederick W. Adams '89, presided. Other speakers were Donald F. Snow '01, and Dr. Daniel F. Robinson '73.

'02.—A bulletin, issued by the United States Geological Survey, on the Ground Water in San Joaquin Valley, California, has recently been re-

ceived by the Library. Richard B. Dole, of this class, is one of the authors.

'13.—At a meeting of the faculty of arts and sciences of Harvard University it was announced that the Ricardo prize scholarship, with an annual income of \$350, was awarded to Jacob Viner of Montreal, Quebec, a second-year student in the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, and that honorable mention was given to the paper submitted by Paul Howard Douglas of Cambridge, a first-year student in the Graduate School of Business Administration. Viner holds the degree of A.B. from McGill University, Quebec, 1914, and A.M. from Harvard in 1915. He holds the Henry Lee memorial fellowship in economics. Douglas is a graduate of Bowdoin College, A.B., 1913, and A.M. Columbia University, 1915, and has just passed successfully his examination for the Ph.D. degree at Columbia.

*ex-'13*.—Harold A. Tucker died at the Central Maine General Hospital in Lewiston, April 27. On the Saturday preceding his death he was forced, as a result of a brief illness, to undergo an operation. Although this seemed at first to be progressing favorably, complications arose which forced a second and fatal operation. Mr. Tucker was born in Norway, Maine, in 1890.

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## TUFTS LOSES FIRST GAME IN YEAR, 6-5

Who would have thought it? Tufts had a team that had cleaned up everything in the East and South. Harvard, Dartmouth, The Army and Navy, Catholic University—all had fallen before its whirlwind playing. The team had not been beaten this year, and only once last year, but Bowdoin, their supposedly least formidable foe, outplayed them in good straight baseball. That it was a junior week game for Tufts made it all the more pathetic. Moreover, Bowdoin's pitcher was a freshman playing his first game of 'varsity baseball. His pitching combined with wonderful playing both on the part of the infield and outfield, and the team's success in hitting Tuft's two star twirlers almost at will, accounted for the score of six to five.

The game opened favorably for Tufts. Savage was wild and the bases were soon filled with but one man out. Sharp work kept the scoring down to one run. In the third inning Tufts scored again, and it was not until the fifth that Bowdoin broke loose. In this inning Bowdoin banged out four hits and three men crossed the plate. Phillips started the fun with a pretty single, and was followed in order by Bradford and Savage with bingles, filling the bases. Chapman then came up and with a hot double over first brought in Savage and Bradford. Donnell was caught at the plate.

Tufts then tied the score in the last part of the fifth. The sixth and seventh also brought the Medford team one run each. The game then looked safe for Tufts until the eighth when Bowdoin came back with a pretty rally. With two men out Finn singled sharply to left. Woodman advanced him to second, and then Goodsky sent out one towards Boston which failed to come to earth until he had reached third and Finn and Woodman had crossed the plate.

The score was then tied. Tufts failed to take advantage of its next inning, and the ninth began with both teams equally determined to get the winning run. Bradford began by beating out a hit to short, was advanced to second by a sacrifice by Savage, and came across the plate with the winning run when Armstrong threw low to first to get Donnell. Tufts made a strenuous effort to tie the score in the next half of the inning.

The first man reached the initial sack and was sacrificed to second, bringing the Tufts grandstand to its feet howling for a run. The next man sent up a foul fly which was beautifully caught by Donnell. Savage then struck the last man out.

The score:

BOWDOIN		ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Donnell, 3b	.....	5	0	2	2	0	2
Chapman, rf	.....	3	0	1	1	1	0
McElwee, 1b	.....	4	0	1	6	0	0
Finn, ss	.....	4	1	2	2	1	1
Woodman, cf	.....	3	1	0	3	0	0
Goodsky, 2b	.....	4	0	1	1	0	0
Phillips, lf	.....	4	1	1	5	0	0
Bradford, c	.....	4	2	3	7	3	0
Savage, p	.....	3	1	1	0	4	0
Totals	.....	36	6	12	27	9	3

TUFTS		ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Stafford, 2b	.....	4	1	2	1	1	0
Leland, rf	.....	4	1	1	0	0	0
Wescott, cf	.....	4	1	1	1	1	0
O'Mara, lf	.....	2	1	1	2	0	0
Volk, 1b	.....	2	0	0	0	0	1
Saunders, ss	.....	5	1	1	3	2	1
Armstrong, 3b	.....	4	0	0	2	0	1
Carroll, c	.....	4	0	2	8	1	1
Krepps, p	.....	2	0	0	0	0	0
Whittaker, p	.....	2	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	.....	33	5	8	27	11	4

Innings:  
 Bowdoin ..... 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 2 1—6  
 Tufts ..... 1 0 1 0 1 1 0 0 0—5  
 Three base hit, Goodsky. Two base hits, Chapman, Saunders. Sacrifice hits, Woodman, Savage, Volk, O'Mara. Stolen bases, Stafford, Leland, Volk. First base on balls, by Savage, Volk, 2; by O'Mara, 2. Leland, Stafford, Wescott. First base on errors, Bowdoin, 2. Passed balls, Bradford, 2. Wild pitch, Savage. Time 2 hours, 30 minutes. Umpire, Barry. Attendance, 1,500.

## BOWDOIN WINS FROM BATES

The Bowdoin baseball team won from Bates Monday, the 15th, by a score of 8 to 5 on Whittier Field. Captain McElwee's followers had their batting eyes with them, which, combined with White's pitching and the fast work of the infield in the pinches, gave Bowdoin a victory. Purvere who started the game pitching for Bates was hit freely and after McElwee's home run over the right field fence in the third, he was replaced by Davidson.

Bowdoin started scoring in the first inning. Bunched hits by Chapman, McElwee and Finn netted two scores, and a lead which was maintained for the whole game. Two more scores were added in the fourth. Bradford walked and White hit for two bases, scoring Bradford. Donnell sacrificed, scoring White. Bowdoin got into a hole in the fifth. Three men were on bases and

there were no outs. Finn fielded two grounders to the plate and the third man went out on a fly well caught by Phillips. Again in the eighth, Bates had two men on with no outs but could not score. In the ninth Davis and Logan started a batting rally for Bates which netted two runs.

The summary:

BOWDOIN										
	ab	r	bb	po	a	e				
Donnell, 3b	4	0	1	1	4	0				
Chapman, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0				
McElwee, 1b	4	2	2	14	0	0				
Finn, ss	3	0	1	2	7	0				
Woodman, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0				
Goodspeed, 2b	4	0	0	0	0	0				
Phillips, lf	3	1	0	3	0	0				
Bradford, c	3	1	1	7	2	1				
White, p	4	2	2	0	3	1				
Totals	32	8	9	27	18	2				
BATES										
	ab	r	bb	po	a	e				
Davis, cf	5	2	3	1	0	0				
Logan, 3b	3	0	0	2	2	3				
MacDonald, 2b	4	0	0	1	5	0				
Lord, c	4	0	1	4	3	0				
Duncan, rf	5	1	2	1	0	0				
Talbot, ss	4	0	1	3	5	1				
Marston, lf	3	1	1	0	0	1				
Harvey, 1b	4	0	1	12	1	1				
Purvere, p	1	0	0	0	1	1				
Davidson, p	3	1	2	0	1	1				
Totals	38	5	11	24	17	8				

Innings  
Bowdoin 2 1 1 2 0 0 0 2 x-8  
Bates 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 2-5  
Two base hits, Donnell, White 2, Davidson, Davis.  
Home run, McElwee. Stolen bases, McElwee, Woodman, Phillips, Bradford 2, Davis 3, Sacrifice hits, Donnell, Woodman, Phillips, MacDonald. Left on bases, Bowdoin 5, Bates 3. First base on errors, Bowdoin 6, Base on balls, off White 4, off Davidson 1. Hits and earned runs, off White 11 hits, 3 runs; off Purvere, 7 hits, 3 runs in 2 innings and no one out in 3rd; off Davidson 2 hits, 3 runs in 6 innings. Hit by pitcher, by Davidson (Finn, Struck out, by White 6, by Davidson 3. Passed balls, Bradford 2. Umpire, Conway. Time 2:15.

## DARTMOUTH WINS NEW ENGLAND MEET

As was generally expected, Dartmouth won the 30th New England intercollegiate meet at Springfield, Mass., last Friday and Saturday, scoring 50½ points to 32½ for the University of Maine. Bowdoin was tied with Holy Cross for third position with 18 points. Captain Leadbetter was the individual star of the meet, winning eleven points, a first in the discus, a first in the hammer, and a fourth in the shot put. Savage won the 220 yard hurdles, in record time, and Sampson completed the scoring by tying with 2 Dartmouth men for second place in the pole vault.

Three new records were made in the meet, of which one comes to Bowdoin. Savage running the low hurdles in 24-2-5 seconds, which is one-fifth of a second faster than the record held by Gutterson of Vermont.

Perhaps the greatest surprise of the meet was the defeat of Charlie Rice of Maine in the 100 and 220 yard dashes, Kelley of Holy Cross winning both events in record time. His record of

94-5 seconds in the 100 yard dash displaces a record held jointly by Cloudman '01 and four others. In the 220 yard dash his time was 21-2-5 seconds which is 3-5 of a second better than the previous record.

In the semi-finals of the high hurdles, Savage stumbled and fell on the seventh hurdle, ran around the eighth, and failed to qualify. Webber '16 was shut out in the semi-finals of both hurdle races.

Captain Leadbetter sprang a surprise when he threw the discus 130 feet 11¾ inches for a first place. His best performance in the state meet was a second place at 122.36 feet. His distance in the hammer was 145 feet 9¾ inches, and in the shot put 40 feet 5¾ inches.

Sampson went over the bar at 11 feet which tied for second place with two Dartmouth men and gave Bowdoin two points.

Moulton hurled the discus 124 feet 9 inches which is the best he has done in competition this spring, but this was good only for fifth place.

Crosby also finished fifth in the 880 yard run which was won in 2 minutes 3-5 seconds.

## MASQUE AND GOWN READY FOR IVY

In preparation for the Ivy performance, the Masque and Gown will present the farce, "Mrs. Dot" at the Highland Club, West Roxbury, Mass., on Saturday evening, May 27th. Rehearsals are now progressing under the direction of the regular coach, Mrs. Brown, and everything points to an exceptionally good play for Ivy Day. Special costumes and scenery will be a feature, making this one of the most elaborate productions that the club has ever attempted.

Tickets for the Ivy play which will take place on Thursday evening, June 1st, will be on sale in the manager's room in the Gymnasium Thursday afternoon from 1 till 5.

Fraternities wishing special blocks of seats should apply to the manager immediately.

Following is the cast that will be taken to West Roxbury:

Charles, Halstane's servant	Colter '18
Mr. Wright	Stride '17
Mr. Rixon	Achorn '17
Gerald Halstane	Jacob '18
James Blenkinsop	Wiley '17
Freddie Perkins	Mooers '18
Mrs. Worthley (Mrs. Dot)	Corcoran '17
Lady Sellenger	Biggers '19
Nellie Sellenger	Churchill '16
Miss Eliza MacGregor	R. H. Cobb '17
George, Blenkinsop's man	Joyce '18

In response to a request from the Associated Sunday Magazines, the Masque and Gown sent



photographs to compete in a contest for the best impersonations of the fair sex by members of college dramatic societies. Word was recently received that a prize had been awarded to a photograph of Churchill '16 in the part of Nellie Sellenger in the play, "Mrs. Dot."

#### COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

SUNDAY, JUNE 18

The Baccalaureate Sermon by President Hyde, in the Congregational Church at 4 P. M.

MONDAY, JUNE 19

The Alexander Prize Speaking in Memorial Hall at 8 P. M.

TUESDAY, JUNE 20

The Class Day Exercises of the Graduating Class in Memorial Hall at 10 A. M., and under the Thorndike Oak at 3 P. M. Senior Dance in the Gymnasium at 9 P. M.

Meeting of the Trustees in the Classical Room, Hubbard Hall, at 2 P. M.

Meeting of the Overseers in the Lecture Room, Hubbard Hall, at 7 P. M.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21

The annual meeting of the Phi Beta Kappa Fraternity, Alpha of Maine, in the Alumni Room, Hubbard Hall, at 11 A. M.

Baseball Game, Alumni vs. Varsity, Whittier Field at 10 A. M.

The annual meeting of the Alumni Association at 1.30 P. M., in the Bowdoin Union, preceded by a Buffet Lunch at 12.30.

Meeting of the Class Secretaries in the Chemical Lecture Room, at 2.30 P. M.

Reception by the President and Mrs. Hyde on the Art Building Terrace from 4 to 6 P. M.

Band Concert, under the Thorndike Oak, at 8.00 P. M.

THURSDAY, JUNE 22

The Commencement Exercises of the College and Medical School in the Congregational Church at 10.30 A. M., followed by Commencement Dinner in the Gymnasium.

The Reunion Trophy, presented by David William Snow, Esq., '73 and now held by the Class of 1890, will be awarded to the class that secures the attendance of the largest percentage of its members.

#### PLATTSBURG LECTURE IN UNION

Thomas L. Pierce '98 lectured last Tuesday evening in the Union on the Military Camp at Plattsburg. The lecture was illustrated by pictures of the different college groups which were at Plattsburg last summer and by pictures of the camp itself. Mr. Pierce attended the business men's camp last summer and spoke very enthu-



ALBERT J. WEATHERHEAD, JR., OF HARVARD

Football Coach Next Fall

siastically of his experiences there. After his lecture, he answered questions regarding the expense and equipment required. Mr. Pierce said that he did not think that there is any likelihood of the government's paying the expenses this summer, but that eventually this would undoubtedly be the case. The lecture deserved a better audience than it received.



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## Songs and Singing

Bowdoin men have often expressed regret that, of late years, Bowdoin can not claim fame as a singing college, and past ORIENT editors have made many appeals for a change in this respect. We have good songs, several fine ones, but how many of them are known to the average undergraduate? Four or five at the most, and those imperfectly, if we may judge by the quality of the singing at games and rallies.

It has been suggested, also, that "Bowdoin Beata" is not our best, our most representative song. With all due reverence to the song which has acquired the name of *the Bowdoin* song, we believe it is in many respects inferior to "Rise, Sons of Bowdoin." Dean Sils' song is far su-

perior in thought and expression: it is a sounder presentation of our ideals and aspirations; it has, moreover, the great advantage of having a musical setting of its own, whereas the tune of "Bowdoin Beata" is used elsewhere.

The traditions surrounding "Bowdoin Beata" are not to be lightly cast aside; neither should tradition be valued above merit. The custom of standing uncovered while it is being sung is much younger than many suppose and if a change is to be made, it should be done now, before any more classes have added their numbers to those who know it alone as their revered Alma Mater song. We would like to see this matter taken up by some of the bodies interested, the Student Council, the alumni associations. If they would lend their influence to our view of the case, the change in tradition would soon follow and one college generation would see it completed. At least we would like to receive some expressions of opinion from those interested in the matter.

In the meanwhile, let us learn our songs and practice them together. The college sings on the Art Building steps used to be a valued custom. They should not be allowed to lapse, for the memory of those evenings, the student body singing the Bowdoin songs together, should be among our most pleasant remembrances, while the practical value to be derived cannot be estimated.

## The Band

It is with the greatest reluctance that we venture to criticize the band, for we realize that it is endeavoring to do its best and that its work is often not sufficiently appreciated. But the band, or its leader should realize its limitations and keep within those limits. At the time of the state track meet, a week ago, the band of one of the visiting colleges, by its lack of strength, harmony or tune, attracted considerable laughter and ridicule. To that extent it was a hindrance to the college whose name it bore. At the time of the Bates game, a week ago yesterday, our own band made some feeble attempts to enliven the occasion. Whether there were too few present to produce the best results or whether something else was the trouble, we know not, but we do know that the result was a dismal failure. The Bowdoin band, for the past two years, has been of far higher grade than the year or two previous and we believe that it will still prove a credit to the college. In the interest of its good name let us have no repetitions of the failure of that day but let the band appear in public only when, equipped with its full complement, it is prepared to do all that it is capable of and be a real credit to Bowdoin.

### INTERSCHOLASTIC TENNIS

Cony High School won the singles and Gorham High the doubles in the annual interscholastic tennis tournament which was played here Friday and Saturday. Eight schools were entered, Brunswick High, Cony High, Edward Little High, Gorham High, Hebron Academy, Lewiston High, Portland High, and the Abbott School of Farmington. Brunswick High was the runner-up in both singles and doubles. The Friday afternoon and Saturday morning matches were played on the indoor courts in the athletic building on account of the weather. The singles between Fisher of Cony and Lambert of Abbott were the features of the tournament.

The scores:

Singles.—Lambert of Abbott defeated Smith of Gorham 6-4, 6-3; Fisher of Cony defeated Woodin of Edward Little 6-2, 6-2; Tracey of Hebron defeated Stanwood of Portland 3-6, 6-3, 6-2; Wass of Brunswick defeated Ireland of Lewiston 6-2, 0-6, 6-4. Semi-finals: Fisher of Cony defeated Lambert of Abbott 7-5; 6-4; Wass of Brunswick defeated Tracey of Hebron 6-3, 6-3. Finals: Fisher of Cony defeated Wass of Brunswick 6-2, 6-3.

Doubles.—Purinton and Ireland of Lewiston defeated Woodin and Lucas of Edward Little 3-6, 7-5, 6-1; Russell and Smith of Gorham defeated Fisher and Toas of Cony 6-3, 6-4; Wass and Hall of Brunswick defeated Tracey and York of Hebron 6-3, 6-8, 6-2; Stanwood and Gilson of Portland drew a bye. Semi-finals: Gorham defeated Lewiston 7-5, 6-1; Brunswick defeated Portland 6-4, 8-6. Finals: Gorham defeated Brunswick 6-0, 6-4.

### REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

In the report of the librarian for 1915-16, is a brief tribute to the late Dr. George T. Little, who was in charge of the college library for 32 years previous to his death last summer. During the last twelve months, the total accessions were 2,410; of which 1,290 were purchased, 51 were obtained by exchange, 304 from binding periodicals, and 765 were given by various donors. The largest and most important purchase was the works of Goethe in 137 volumes. The largest gift of books was the collection of nearly 100 volumes on Arctic exploration donated by The Explorers' Club of New York in honor of Admiral Robert E. Peary '77. Two gifts of money were received during the year, from Hon. D. S. Alexander, LL.D., '70 and J. E. Rhodes, 2nd, '97.

The number of books charged for use outside the library building was 7,347, an increase of 300 over the circulation of the previous year. 11,350

index cards were inserted in the catalogue in 1915-16, of which 7,687 were for accessions. The total number of volumes now in the library is 113,418, including 5,000 volumes belonging to the Medical School.

The biographical catalogue of non-graduates of the College and Medical School is an octavo of 175 pages, containing statistics collected by the librarian and his assistants. This book will be ready for distribution in a few weeks.

Mr. Gerald G. Wilder has been acting librarian since the death of Dr. Little.

### TENNIS AT LONGWOOD

Bowdoin was represented at the championship tournament of the New England Lawn Tennis Association at Longwood last week by B. W. Bartlett '17, Flynt '17 and Greeley '17. In the first round of the singles Greeley of Bowdoin and Stewart of M. I. T., furnished the best match, the latter winning in three sets, 6-1, 4-6, 6-3. Bartlett lost to Woodbridge, M. I. T., 6-1, 6-4. In the first round of doubles, Flynt and Greeley lost to Maynard and Rockwood of Williams, 6-1, 6-1.

### BOWDOIN ALUMNI BEATS TENNIS TEAM

The tennis tournament with the Portland Country Club Saturday was really a contest between the alumni and the 'varsity for three of the four players for the Country Club were Bowdoin graduates. They were Phillip M. Dana '96, Eugene L. Bodge '97, and Phillip F. Chapman '06. The tournament was played on the Country Club courts on Falmouth Foreside.

The scores:

Singles.—Dana of the Country Club defeated Flynt of Bowdoin 6-1; 6-4.

Greeley of Bowdoin defeated Bodge of Country Club 6-0; 6-2.

Holt of Country Club defeated Bartlett of Bowdoin 6-1; 11-9.

Doubles.—Bodge and Dana of Country Club defeated Flynt and Greeley of Bowdoin 6-1; 4-6, 6-1, 8-6.

Holt and Chapman of Country Club defeated Bartlett and Woodman of Bowdoin 6-1; 10-8; 6-4

### THE CLASS OF '96 DIRECTORY

The secretary of the Class of 1896 has just had published a directory of the class in attractive pamphlet form. It appears twenty years after the graduation of the class from College, and contains interesting statistics and an account of what each member has done since graduation. The list shows that of forty-three living members fifteen are now in Maine, seven in Massachusetts, five in New York, three in California, three in

New Jersey, two in Connecticut, two in Illinois, two in New Hampshire, one each in Ohio, Rhode Island, Canada and China. The total number of children born has been sixty-three of whom sixty are now living. The members are engaged in the following lines of work; Law, eight; education, seven; medicine, seven; journalism, three; agriculture, ministry, publishing and trade, one each; and banking, corporation presidency, insurance, mining, real estate, railway mail service, and public accounting, one each. The class is to have its twentieth reunion here at Commencement and its headquarters will be at 10 Noble Street. Thirty-four men have already signified their intention to be present.

#### ALEXANDER SPEAKERS CHOSEN

The trials for the Alexander Prize Speaking resulted in the choice of the following men from the 29 who participated: Chapman '17, Willey '17, Albion '18, Jacob '18, Matthews '18, Mooers '18, McGorrell '19, Paul '19, and Stephens '19. The alternates are Irving '19 Sprague '19, and Mitchell '19. The Alexanders are held in Memorial Hall on the Monday of Commencement Week. The judges will be selected from the alumni later. The judges at the trials were Professor Woodruff, Professor Moody, and Mr. Meserve.

#### A NEW BOOK BY ALEXANDER '70

Hon. DeAlva Stanwood Alexander '70, a member of the Board of Overseers since 1905, has followed his "Political History of the State of New York" with "The History and Procedure of the House of Representatives," which Houghton Mifflin Co. has just published. The book is the outgrowth of a series of lectures that Mr. Alexander prepared at the suggestion of his personal friend Speaker Thomas B. Reed, Bowdoin '60, when he entered Congress about twenty years ago. Mr. Alexander remained in Congress fourteen years, and he has enriched the pages of his book with a fund of reminiscence and anecdote that make it as readable as it is authoritative. The work is much more than a summary of congressional precedents and procedure and an explanation of congressional processes through its committees and officers. It has many pages of keen and brilliant analysis of the great congressional leaders of the past century and of criticism of their methods and motives. The book has 400 pages, and forty pages more of index and of tables and lists that add much to the value of the work for reference purposes.

#### FRESHMAN BANQUET NEXT MONDAY

The Freshman Banquet will be held in Portland at the Congress Square Hotel next Monday evening. Savage '19 will act as toastmaster, and the speakers from the various fraternities will be Decker, Fay, Hargraves, Gray, Holbrook, Martin, McGorrell, Merrill, Mitchell, and Tuttle. Kern is the chairman of the committee in charge. By a vote of the class, the banquet will be dry. The Sophomore class has voted not to hold a banquet.

#### With the Faculty

President Hyde has been invited to give a talk to the Yale freshmen next fall.

Professor Johnson and Dean Sills attended the meeting of the Dante Society at Boston last week.

Professor Mitchell was reelected a member of the Brunswick Library Committee last week.

Professor Files will give an illustrated lecture at the Topsham Grange next week.

Dean Sills attended the convention of college deans at Tufts College last week.

Dean Sills attended a meeting of the college board of the state at Augusta Saturday, with representatives from the four colleges and State Superintendent Payson Smith.

Dr. Whittier was the medical examiner in the case of a hermit living on a lonely point near Bowdoinham who was found dead last week.

Dr. Copeland has recently had an addition built to his home on Federal Street.

Professor Cram was elected to the executive committee of the Maine Association of Alpha Delta Phi, recently.

Mr. Wilder was recently elected president of the Maine State Library Association. He was also chosen as a member of the committee on legislation.

Mr. Evans will attend the I. C. A. A. A. A. meet at Cambridge Saturday.

Dr. C. M. Robinson of the Medical School sailed for England with the third Harvard medical unit, May 20.

Miss Smith, curator of the Art Building, spent a week in Boston lately visiting art galleries and viewing some private works of art.

#### On the Campus

Toussaint *ex-'19* has recently been elected town auditor in East Millinocket.

The first straw hats appeared Sunday, one on a freshman and another on a junior.

The annual Bummel of the Deutscher Verein will be held at New Meadows Inn Friday.

*On the campus* last week were J. C. Minot '96, P. G. Bishop '09, D. K. Merrill '15, and A. R. Caspar, *ex-'18*.

W. W. Thomas '60, formerly minister to Norway and Sweden, was *on the campus* with his family recently.

L. Doherty '19, Haynes '19 and McClave '19 attended the New England Meet at Springfield, Mass., Saturday.

Noyes *ex-'19*, running for Hebron, was second in the mile in fast time at the Harvard Inter-scholastics Saturday.

The last issue of the *Portland Sunday Telegram* contained pictures of the track squad and the board of managers.

Tickets for the Ivy dance will cost \$3.50 including refreshments. The dance will begin promptly at eight o'clock.

The first of the finals took place last Thursday in Memorial Hall when German 3 had its final in German Composition.

Emilio de Gogorza, the well-known baritone, and his wife Madame Emma Eames de Gogorza visited the Art Building last week.

At the last meeting of the Athletic Council it was voted to give Jack Magee a sweater and track B for his work with the track team.

A party of biologists, led by Dr. Gross, made an expedition to the coast last Saturday and spent the night under the stars on Mere Point.

Edwards '16 is to go into business instead of teaching as was announced last week. This further swells the list of seniors who are to take up business as a career.

Psi Upsilon and Zeta Psi are to hold house parties on Wednesday, May 31. Delta Kappa Epsilon and Theta Delta Chi will hold a joint dance at the Deke house that evening.

Any amateur photographers who have pictures of the college life which would be of interest for the Ivy Number of the *ORIENT* are asked to submit them to Crane '17 at the Delta U house.

A valid syllogism—The Red Sox are the World's Champions. Harvard beat the Red Sox; Tufts beat Harvard; Bowdoin beat Tufts. Therefore our team are the World's Champions.

Richardson '16 received an appointment last week for a position with the Standard Oil Company. After six months training in the company's school of business administration in New York, he will go to India.

The Visiting Committee will be *on the campus* this week. It consists of President Samuel V. Cole of Wheaton College, Ex-Governor William T. Cobb, Hon. John A. Morrill, Hon. George E. Bird, and Mr. John S. Hyde.

Students intending to take summer courses in

any of the Universities and Colleges, if they desire credit in these subjects, must submit them for approval of the Recording Committee before examinations in June. Otherwise no credit will be given.

Thanks to the *Brunswick Record*, the scores of the New England Meet and the Tufts game were received accurately and in good season by telegram Saturday evening. This service is appreciated at the college for we are always anxious to hear how the teams have fared while away.

Professor Knapp of Barnard College, Columbia University, was *on the campus* last Friday. In a short address to the students of Latin 2, Professor Knapp paid a tribute to colleges such as Bowdoin and remarked upon the advantages of dormitory life in a small college as compared with an institution of thousands of students.

Students are reminded that they must register their choice of studies for next year before the opening of the examination period on June 6th. Sophomores must also at that time signify their choice of majors and minors. The Dean will be glad to consult with anyone regarding a course of study either at his regular office hours or by special permission.

Tonight at 7.30 in the Court Room, Mrs. Augustus C. Hughston of New York, organizer for the National Equal Suffrage Association, will speak under the auspices of the Brunswick League. All who are interested in or opposed to this proposed change in the political status of women are cordially invited to be present. Mrs. Hughston is a graduate of Smith, has been an active ward worker for suffrage in New York and recently very successful in the up-state rural canvass. She was also marshal of the big Washington parade and for years has done social service work in New York.

#### CALENDAR

May

23. 4:30 P. M. Meeting of Bowdoin Club, Library.
24. Colby vs. Bowdoin, Whittier Field.
26. Deutscher Verein Bummel at New Meadows.
27. Outdoor Interscholastic Meet, Whittier Field.
- Bowdoin vs. Maine at Orono.
- I. C. A. A. A. at Boston.
- Maine Intercollegiate Tournament at Orono.
29. Freshman Banquet, Portland.
31. Psi Upsilon House Party.
- Zeta Psi House Party.
- Deke and Theta Delt joint dance at Deke House.



June

1. Ivy Play.
2. Ivy Exercises.  
Seniors Last Chapel.  
Ivy Dance.
3. Bowdoin vs. Bates, Whittier Field.
8. Final examinations begin.

### RESOLUTIONS

HALL OF ETA OF THETA DELTA CHI

Brunswick, May 20, 1916.

The death of Percival Freeman Marston of the class of 1888 removes from our graduate roll one who had consecrated himself to the spreading of the Gospel and had faithfully followed this calling. He maintained an interest in college and fraternity and made the ties stronger by sending a son to Bowdoin and into Theta Delta Chi. The members of the Eta learn of his death with sorrow.

EARLE WARREN COOK,  
ROBERT GREENHALGH ALFION,  
HUGH ADDISON MITCHELL,  
*For the Charge.*

### Alumni Department

'60.—Dr. Alvan Felch Bucknam died on the 4th of this month at his home in Warren, Illinois, from stoppage of an artery. Dr. Bucknam was born in Yarmouth, Maine on Nov. 27, 1837. After his graduation from Bowdoin he taught school both in Maine and Texas for two years, and in 1862, he was mustered into service as Second Lieutenant of Company G, 25th Maine Volunteer Infantry. In July of the following year he was mustered out of service, and in 1864 he received the degree of M.D. from the Bowdoin Medical School. He was then commissioned as assistant-surgeon of the 2nd Massachusetts Cavalry. Dr. Bucknam was with General Philip Sheridan in his Shenandoah Valley campaign, and thence joined the army of the Potomac. In 1865, after being mustered out of service, he joined the College of Physicians and Surgeons of New York City. In 1863 Bowdoin conferred on him the degree of A.M. In 1867 he went to Illinois, and for three years he practiced medicine in Nova, later he removed to Warren, Illinois, where he has since remained. At his death he had the largest practice of any physician in his county.

'60.—Hon. William W. Thomas has recently returned to Portland, his native city, for a short visit, bringing with him his Swedish wife and his two sons. He intends to make trips throughout the state, while here, for the purpose of speaking

about some economic questions which he believes could be of advantage to the citizens of Maine.

Mr. Thomas has been in the Consular service at various periods of his life since his graduation from Bowdoin. He has seen service as a Vice-Consul in Turkey and Roumania, as a Consul in Sweden, and has served as United States Minister to Sweden and Norway. After his period of service in Roumania, in 1863, he studied at the Harvard Law School and received his LL.D. From 1866 till 1883 he practiced law in Portland, Me., at various times being Commissioner of Public Lands, Commissioner of Immigration, and a member of the legislature in his native state. During this time he was also speaker of the house, and a lecturer on Scandinavian Languages throughout the state.

'89.—A series of articles in the Lewiston Journal on "The Men Who Make Maine's Newspapers" tells the story, in the May 13th edition, of how Charles H. Fogg took up the task of editing the Aroostook Times at a period when it seemed to be in an uncertain condition financially, and made success from what seemed headed towards failure.

'03.—John L. Mitchell and Miss Anna M. Welzenbach of Manchester, N. H., who were secretly married, April 29, kept their marriage a secret until May 13th. Mr. Mitchell has been with the Amoskeag Corporation since 1904, and he is now overseer of the English drawing room in the worsted department of that organization. His father was Dean of the Medical School here for more than thirty years.

'09.—Ralph O. Brewster is to be a candidate for the Republican nomination for representative to the Legislature, at the primaries on June 19th. Mr. Brewster is one of the best known young lawyers of Portland. He taught school for a year after his graduation from Bowdoin and then entered Harvard Law School, from which he graduated in 1913. He was admitted to practice in the Cumberland County Supreme Court the same year, and has been practicing law in Portland since that time. While in Harvard Law School he was one of ten men picked from a class of 350, for the board of editors of the Harvard Law Review, one of the law authorities of the country.

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## BOWDOIN COMES BACK AT MAINE 3 TO 1

After losing the first two games to Maine, Bowdoin returned to the front with a 3 to 1 victory upon the enemy's own territory, Saturday. White and Driscoll engaged in a pitching duel from which our freshman finally emerged victorious.

For seven innings, there was no scoring. In the last of the eighth, Lawry hit safely to center, stole second and moved to third on Finn's error upon Hackett's grounder. Pendleton bunted, scoring Lawry.

The White came back in the ninth when McElwee hit safely and stole second. Finn was passed, and Woodman's hit scored both men on bases. Phillips tapped the ball over first base, allowing Woodman to score the last run of the game.

Maine threatened to cross the plate again in her half of the ninth, when Reardon was hit, advanced to second on a passed ball, and took third on a wild pitch, only to be left stranded.

The score:

### BOWDOIN

	ab	r	bb	po	a	e
Donnell, 3b	5	0	0	2	0	0
Chapman, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
McElwee, 1b	4	1	2	11	1	0
Finn, ss	3	1	0	1	1	1
Woodman, cf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Goodskey, 2b	4	0	2	1	3	0
Phillips, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Bradford, c	4	0	1	9	4	0
White, p	3	0	0	1	4	0
Totals	34	3	7	27	13	1

### MAINE

	ab	r	bb	po	a	e
Wentworth, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Lawry, 2b	3	1	2	3	2	0
Hackett, 1b	3	0	0	11	0	0
Rowe, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	0
Pendleton, ss	4	0	0	3	2	1
Gorham, lf	3	0	0	1	0	1
Reardon, c	3	0	0	8	3	0
Giles, cf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Driscoll, p	4	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	29	1	4	27	11	2

Innings:  
Bowdoin 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3-3  
Maine 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0-1  
Stolen bases, Hackett, 2; Reardon, Lawry. Sacrifice hits, White, Hackett, Wentworth. Left on bases, Bowdoin 7; Maine, 8. First base on errors, Bowdoin 2. Base on balls, off White, 2; off Driscoll 2. Hits and earned runs, off White, 4 hits, 0 runs in 9 innings; off Driscoll, 7 hits, 2 runs in 9 innings. Hit by pitcher, by White (Lawry, Hackett, Reardon). Struck out, by White, 8; by Driscoll, 8. Wild pitch, White. Passed balls, Bradford, Reardon, 2. Umpire, Conway. Time, 2.08.

## COLBY WINS 6-5

A thrilling batting rally in the ninth failed to offset Colby's four runs in the second, and Bowdoin lost, 6-5. Ten Bowdoin runners were left on bases, and, while Cawley was hit hard, the hits didn't come at the right time.

Bowdoin started scoring in the first inning when Donnell crossed the plate. Then came the fatal second. Errors, hits and free passes, gave Colby four scores and a lead which proved too much to overcome. White was withdrawn in favor of Savage who held his opponents to six scattered hits in eight innings. Although Bowdoin outhit Colby, the hits were not sufficiently bunched to produce scores in any abundance. The bases were filled in the fourth but to no avail. In the sixth, however, a clean hit by Bradford, brought in two scores. The main excitement of the game came in the ninth when the shadows were beginning to lengthen and some of the hungry ones had gone home. The score stood 6 to 3 when things began to happen. Merrill who was put in as a pinch batter was struck by a pitched ball. Donnell walked. Chapman was hit by a pitched ball and the bases were full with only one out. Captain McElwee laid down a hot one between first and second, scoring Merrill, but Chapman was caught at second. Finn walked, filling the bases again. Woodman hit scoring Donnell. That brought the score to 6-5 but it was not ordained that we should win. Goodsky went out on an easy fly and the game was over.

Following is the box score:

### COLBY

	ab	r	bb	po	a	e
Simpson, lf	5	0	1	2	1	0
Nye, 2b	5	0	0	5	2	1
Deasy, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Cawley, p	4	1	0	0	5	0
Ashworth, c	5	1	4	2	3	0
Driscoll, 3b	4	1	0	0	2	0
Smith, 1b	2	1	0	12	0	0
Schuster, cf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Hayes, ss	4	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	37	6	7	27	16	1

### BOWDOIN

	ab	r	bb	po	a	e
Donnell, 3b	3	2	0	0	1	1
Chapman, rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
McElwee, 1b	5	0	0	10	1	0
Finn, ss	4	0	3	1	1	1
Woodman, cf	5	1	3	2	0	0
Goodskey, 2b	3	1	0	2	0	0
Phillips, lf	3	0	1	3	0	0

Bradford, c	3	0	2	9	1	2
White, p	0	0	0	0	2	0
Savage, p	3	0	0	1	2	0
*Merrill	0	1	0	0	0	0

Totals 32 5 11 27 10 4

\*Batted for Savage in 9th.

Innings:

Colby 0 4 0 0 0 1 0 0 1—6  
Bowdoin 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 2—5  
Two base hits. Ashworth, Schuster, Woodman.  
Stolen bases. Cawley, Ashworth 2, Hayes, McElwee, Phillips. Sacrifice hits. Cawley, Driscoll. Sacrifice fly, Goodskye. Double plays, Nye and Smith; Bradford and McElwee. Left on bases, Colby 9; Bowdoin 10. First base on errors, Colby 2. Bases on balls, off Cawley 6; off White 1; off Savage 2. Hits and earned runs, off Cawley, 11 hits, 5 runs in 9 innings; off White, 1 hit, 1 run in 1 inning, none out in 2nd; off Savage, 6 hits, 2 runs in 3 innings. Hit by pitcher, by White, Smith; by Cawley, Chapman 2, Merrill. Struck out, by Cawley 2; by White 1; by Savage 7. Passed balls, Bradford 2. Umpire, Conway. Time, 2.40.

#### LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Tied	P. C.
Maine	4	2	2	.667
Bates	2	2	1	.500
Bowdoin	3	4	0	.429
Colby	2	3	1	.400

#### FIVE BOWDOIN POINTS IN I.C.A.A.A.

Leadbetter and Savage scored for Bowdoin in the great I.C.A.A.A. meet at Cambridge Saturday where the very best track men in the country were represented. Leadbetter threw the hammer 152 feet and four inches, taking second place. The winner's distance was 155 feet and one inch, which was practically what Leadbetter did in the state meet. Savage took fifth in the low hurdles, being in fast company. The winner's time was 24 1/5 seconds. Maine was not represented at the meet. Cornell won with 45 points. Yale was second with 29, and the two Pacific universities, California and Leland Stanford each took 22. Harvard took 11, Princeton 10, Bowdoin 5, Syracuse 3, Penn State 2, and M.I.T. 1. It was said to have been the greatest collection of track men in years. Several records were broken.

#### THE 1917 BUGLE

Volume 71 of the Bowdoin *Bugle*, published by the Junior class, will be ready for distribution next Friday morning. The entire book represents the hard work and painstaking care of the editorial board and business management and, is worthy of taking its place in the long line of successful Junior books. The art department, in particular, has been capably handled, the greater part of the work having been done by the art editors, B. W. Bartlett and Forbes Rickard, Jr., and by Willard A. Savage '18. The crude drawings which have sometimes been included in the past have happily been superseded by the skillful work of clever artists. The book is attractively bound in dark blue with gold lettering on the cover. The work of the publishers, both in binding and in press work, is up to the usual high

standard of the Lewiston Journal Print Shop.

The volume is dedicated "to Frank Nathaniel Whittier, A.M., M.D., of the class of 1885, beloved friend of all Bowdoin men." The small individual pictures of the faculty, introduced last year, have been continued, with the addition of a large cut of President Hyde.

A much needed reform has been commenced in the omission of some of the dead material which has been tending lately to make the book unwieldy. Otherwise the usual statistics and athletic records are included. The write-ups of the Juniors are even cleaner than last year, continuing the laudable tendency away from the bitter attacks of past years. The "Scrap Book" is the new name given to the old "grinds" department, and the material is fully equal to the best humor of past volumes. The many snapshots in this section are particularly interesting and enlivening.

The whole *Bugle* contains 298 pages, exclusive of advertising, and, in its general neat appearance and attractive design, sets a high standard in all departments for the boards of future years. Edwin H. Blanchard is editor-in-chief and Clarence H. Crosby business manager.

#### THE DEAN'S REPORT

The annual report of Dean Sills contains several tables of statistics which are of interest in the college world. In December, the college had a registration of just 400, the high water mark in Bowdoin history. Since that time 24 men have been lost. Thirteen were dropped for poor scholarship, five withdrew for other reasons, four men are going into business, Sproul '19 left for Annapolis, and Pike '17 is in the ambulance service in France. Exactly one-third of the student body comes from outside the state. The registration from Maine is 269, from Massachusetts 76, from New York 10, New Hampshire 68, Rhode Island 6, Indiana 5, and so on. There are students from Missouri, Colorado, Idaho, New Jersey, Canada and England.

The B.S. course is gaining in popularity, and at present there are 96 students, or 24% candidates for this degree. English has the largest registration of any department with 310, but the whole freshman class is counted twice practically. Next to this is German with 228, and history has 186. The variation in the choice of majors is shown by the following table:

	Senior Class of 1916	Junior Class of 1917
Chemistry	18	8
German	13	13

History .....	12.....	10
Economics .....	11.....	14
English .....	8.....	6
French .....	6.....	3
Biology .....	4.....	10
Latin .....	3.....	6
Mathematics .....	2.....	4
Physics .....	2.....	8
Philosophy and Psychology ...	.....	2
	79	84

Dean Sills condemns the practice of having freshmen room in fraternity houses. There are at present 21 freshmen so housed, and he recommends that they have a year of the dormitory life. 49 men live in private homes, 18 at their own homes, and eleven out of town. There is a recommendation for a new dormitory.

In regard to Phi Beta Kappa and *Who's Who in America* the Dean writes as follows:

"If intellectual achievement counts for anything, one would naturally expect that men who stand in the upper fifth of their class at college would have more chance for distinction in after life than others. Statistics from various colleges seem to give weight to this assumption. For example, Professor Nicolson of Wesleyan has shown that from that college from 1860 to 1888 one-half the high honor men made *Who's Who in America*; one-third of the Phi Beta Kappa men were listed there; but only one-tenth of graduates who were not members of Phi Beta Kappa. When one asks for a criterion of success, *Who's Who* is not of course an entirely satisfactory guide for the choice of names is often capricious; but it is the best thing of the sort we have and it may serve.

#### CHANCES OF BEING LISTED IN WHO'S WHO IN

##### AMERICA

For all graduates of the college .....1 in 21  
 For graduates, not Phi Beta Kappa .....1 in 32  
 For graduates, Phi Beta Kappa .....1 in 8

#### CHANCES OF BEING LISTED IN WHO'S WHO IN

##### NEW ENGLAND

For graduates living in New England ...35.6%  
 For graduates not Phi Beta Kappa .....29.1%  
 For graduates Phi Beta Kappa .....48.2%

These figures are, I believe, approximately correct and while no one would wish to lay too much stress on such collections as *Who's Who*, they should at least give food for thought to those gallant but misguided souls who believe it is right for all college men to have good red blood in their veins but who do not seem to care whether it is in the legs or in the head."

There are preparatory school statistics with regard to failures and honor grades showing that the Maine schools have fewer failures and more honors to their credit than those outside. There is a list of the free margin credits given for courses in the high school outside the list of regular requirements. In conclusion, the lack of interest in what is going on in the outside world is discussed. The Dean says that on April 19, the day when President Wilson's message to Congress and the consequent ultimatum to Germany appeared, a professor met a student on the campus. "It's been an exciting day, hasn't it?" "Yes," was the reply. "Bates beat us."

#### "AS YOU LIKE IT" AT COMMENCEMENT

Although unable to put on a new play at Commencement, the Masque and Gown has found itself in position to revive "As You Like It." All of the former cast are here except three men who took the parts of Jaques, Celia, and Silvius. Trials for these parts resulted in their being assigned, respectively, to Biggers '17, Angus '19, and Hargraves '19. A committee of the Faculty is in charge of the coaching. The first full rehearsal will be held on Monday, June 5 at seven P. M., and all members of the cast are expected by then to know their lines. The lighting effects on the Art Building steps at night, improved costuming, and an augmented chorus of singing foresters will add to the attractions of the performance.

#### NEXT YEAR'S BOWDOIN CLUB

The members of the new Bowdoin Club met recently and elected officers as follows: P. H. Cobb '17, president; Gardner '19, vice president; R. W. Smith '19, secretary; Decker '19, treasurer; Albert '19, steward; executive committee, the officers and Professors Nixon and Hormell and Mr. Wilder. The outlook seems to be favorable for a strong organization next fall, when the new Bowdoin Club will take possession of the house now occupied by the Phi Theta Upsilon fraternity.

#### COMMENCEMENT SPEAKERS CHOSEN

The four seniors who will deliver Commencement parts have been picked from the twenty who received provisional Commencement appointments. They are Guy Whitman Leadbetter, Alfred Charles Kinsey, Donald Sherman White and Sidney McGillavery Brown. The Goodwin Commencement Prize is awarded to the speaker with the best part.



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## Enthusiasm

It is a disagreeable task to be continually finding fault with the student body. We urge them one moment to a heartier support of the team; the next we complain of the manner in which they show their support. But this time we feel we are justified in uttering a word of protest.

There were many things in the Colby game last Wednesday sufficient to arouse intense feeling. There were many close plays and feeling between the two teams ran high. Perhaps the umpire erred in a number of his decisions. Perhaps our team received the worst of them, though we believe both teams were affected thereby. In any case it is our business at all times to be gentlemen. The captain is there to argue if argu-

ment be necessary and the grandstand, with its ever critical eye, should abide by the decisions of those in charge.

We have always taken pride, and with reason as a rule, that here at Bowdoin we have a reputation for fair play and clean athletics. The instinctive outburst which follows upon an opponent's error has been quickly hushed. Our enthusiasm has been unlimited when our team earns applause and a star play by an opponent has been no less certain of winning recognition.

This is as it must be if we are not to destroy the reputation and character of our sportsmanship by a gradual degeneration into careless and unthinking enthusiasm. Wednesday's game showed a marked tendency in that direction which should be checked immediately, before it is too late, or we shall be subject to harsh criticism from those who are only too quick to take advantage of our smallest slip. To attempt to confuse an opponent's catch by shouts from the grandstand is to merit the contempt of all impartial observers. Constant "yagging" and umpire-baiting can produce only an impression which will require a long time to correct. We need not show less enthusiasm on proper occasions but such outbursts as those mentioned must be consistently avoided as incompatible with our ideals of fair play.

The next issue of the ORIENT will be the annual Ivy number and will appear Friday afternoon, June 2.

## MEN WANTED FOR NORTHFIELD

It is hoped that Bowdoin will be represented as usual at the Students' Conference at Northfield, Mass., this year. Five men from the college attended last year and all returned enthusiastic over the conference. It lasts for two weeks after college closes and the expense is not great. About four hundred college men from New England, New York, and Canada were in attendance last year, and the very opportunity to meet these men made the conference valuable. The mornings are devoted to special classes and the afternoons are given to sports of various kinds. There are baseball games between the colleges and a track meet, together with a tennis tournament, boating and swimming. Northfield is on the Connecticut River, near the New Hampshire-Vermont line. There is an opportunity to hear the biggest men in Christian work—John R. Mott, Robert E. Speer, Sherwood Eddy, Raymond Robbins and other eminent speakers.

In spite of the detraction to Plattsburg, Wes-

leyan and Amherst, colleges of our own size are each sending twenty men to Northfield this year, while the Dartmouth, Harvard and Yale delegations run up much higher. Further information concerning the conference may be had from those who attended last year: Professor Langley, McConaghy '17, Little '17, Albion '18, and Freese '18. Already some are planning to go and there should be as large a representation as there was last year.

#### REPORT OF DEBATING COUNCIL MANAGER

##### RECEIPTS

Received from A.S.B.C. .... \$185 00

##### EXPENDITURES

Stationery .....	\$ 5 00
Programs for Freshman-Sophomore Debate .....	4 50
Bowdoin-Wesleyan Debate .....	10 82
Hamilton Trip .....	109 42
Stamps .....	83
Bugle Cuts .....	10 00
Pictures for Debating Room .....	4 00
Medals .....	18 00
Programs for Interscholastic Debates...	5 00
Cups for Interscholastic Debates .....	12 40

Total .....	\$179 97
Cash in Bank .....	5 03

\$185 00

Audited and found correct by W. B. Mitchell,  
May 23, 1916.

Respectfully submitted,  
HUGH M. HESCOCK.

#### INTERFRATERNITY BASEBALL

##### DELTA UPSILON 5, PSI UPSILON 4.

Though holding a lead throughout the game until the fifth inning, the Psi U's lost to the Delta U's with a 5 to 4 score last Wednesday. It was one of the evenest and fastest games yet played in the interfraternity leagues this year, and the score was in question until the last man was out. Greeley '17 was effective on the mound for the Delta U's, while Keene '17 and Johnson '19 twirled for the others. The base running and fielding was good.

The score:

Delta U's .....	0 0 2 0 2 1—5
Psi U's .....	2 1 1 0 0 0—4

Batteries: Greeley '17 and Babcock '17; Keene '17, Johnson '19 and Head '16, Keene '17. Umpire, Robinson '19.

##### BETA THETA PI 13, BETA CHI 4.

The Betas scored their third victory of the sea-

son Thursday morning when they defeated Beta Chi, 13 to 4. Although Tuttle struck out twelve men and allowed but two hits, the fielding of Beta Chi was extremely loose and accounted for the large score of the winners. Palmer '18 had a finger badly smashed while catching behind the bat. The score:

Betas .....	0 2 5 4 2—13
Beta Chi .....	0 0 4 0 0—4

Batteries: Pendleton '18 and Carll, Medic. '18; R. C. Tuttle '19 and Palmer '18, Grant '18. Umpire, Robinson '19.

##### PHI THETA UPSILON 16, THETA DELTA CHI 11

A loose, free-hitting game Thursday afternoon between the Phi Thetas and the Theta Deltas, tied until the last inning, was won by the locals 16 to 11. Needelman '18 played a stellar game for the winners, while Yenetchi '16 and McCulloch '19, who hit heavily, figured for the Theta Deltas. The Phi Thetas piled up seven runs in the last inning.

The score:

Phi Thetas .....	0 5 3 1 7 x—16
Theta Deltas .....	2 0 1 4 2 2—11

Batteries: H. Thomas '16 and Brewster '16; Barton '19, Beal '16 and McCulloch '19. Umpire, Kelley '16.

#### M.C.I. WINS OUTDOOR MEET

The absence of Hebron from the eighteenth annual interscholastic track meet was noticeable. The meet was won by the Maine Central Institute of Pittsfield scoring 35 points, with the Concord N. H. High School second. Emery of M.C.I. was the individual star, taking first places in the 100 yard dash, 220 yard low hurdles, the shot put, and the hammer throw. Concord brought nine men to the meet and piled up 28 1-3 points. Ferrin, the Concord sprinter, arrived on the field just too late for the hundred. He easily won the 220, and had he won the hundred, the meet would have gone to Concord by a third of a point.

The time in the events was not fast. No records were broken, and the only one equalled was in the hundred which Emery executed in 10 1-5 seconds. Gray of Bangor was another individual star, figuring in the high jump, broad jump and both hurdles. Bangor was third with 18 1-3 points, Portland High fourth with 12, Coburn fifth with 9, and Deering High sixth with 7. The other competitors were Fryeburg, which scored 4 1-3, Lincoln Academy 3, and Westbrook Seminary, Cony High, and Leavitt Institute failed to score. Hebron won the interscholastic meet at Dartmouth, scoring 59½ points.



MASQUE AND GOWN PLAYERS WHO PRESENT "MRS. DOT" THURSDAY EVENING

**GOVERNMENT COURSES NEXT YEAR**

Government 1. American National Government. First Semester: Tuesday, Thursday 1.30, and a conference hour to be assigned.

Government 2. State and Local Government. Second Semester: at the same hours.

Courses 1 and 2 form a consecutive course throughout the year.

Elective for Freshmen and Sophomores.

Government 3. Municipal Government. First Semester: Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 11.30. The course is limited to ten students, preference being given to those who have taken one or more of the following courses: Government 1, History 8, 9, 10, 11, 12. Applications for admission to the course should be handed to Professor Hormell not later than June 6.

Government 4. American Constitutional Government. Second Semester: Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 11.30.

Elective for Juniors and Seniors.

**NEW Y. M. C. A. CABINET**

The Y.M.C.A. cabinet next year will have the following personnel:

**ADMINISTRATIVE**

McConaughy '17, *Chairman*.

Membership Committee: Crosby '17, Sampson '17.

Publicity Committee: Albion '18, Burleigh '19.

Handbook Committee: Albion '18, C. S. Smith '18, Hargraves '19.

**CHURCH RELATIONS**

MacCormack '18, *Chairman*.

Joyce '18, Coombs '18, Newell '19.

**CAMPUS SERVICE**

Moran '17, *Chairman*.

Freshman Reception Committee: Norton '18, Sprague '19.

Annual Charities Committee: Jacob '18, Higgins '19.

Social Service Committee: Stone '17, Manderson '18, Edwards '18.

**COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Ramsdell '17, *Chairman*.

Deputation Committee: McIntire '17, Pirnie '18.

Boys' Clubs Committee: Norton '18, Coombs '18, J. M. Morrison '18, Davey '19, Sprague '19.

Night School Committee: N. Little '17, Spaulding '17, Manderson '18, Atwood '19.

**ALUMNI COUNCIL**

Ballots were sent out to the alumni last week for the Alumni Council vacancies. Eleven men have been nominated to fill the four vacancies caused by the expiration of the terms of Harold

H. Burton '09, of Boise, Idaho, Arthur L. Robinson '08 of Portland, Donald F. Snow '01 of Bangor, and Ellis L. Spear, Jr., '98 of Boston. These men are candidates for reelection, and in addition are the names of G. L. Ashby '12 of Worcester, Mass., Merton A. Bryant '04 of Philadelphia, Arthur A. Cole '11 of Cambridge, Mass., Robert Hale '10 of Boston, Mass., Philip G. Chapman '06 of Portland, Leonard A. Pierce '05 of Houlton, and James E. Rhodes '97 of Hartford, Conn. The alumni were also requested to vote on whether the ORIENT should be changed to newspaper form.

**TWENTY MEN FOR PLATTSBURG**

The following men have either enrolled or are sure of going to Plattsburg this coming summer: From 1916, Hawes, Little, Head, Robie; from 1917, Achorn, Hazeltine, McNaughton, Philbrick, True; from 1918, Bigelow, Clark, Creighton, DeMott, Edwards, Friedman, Pirnie, Roper; from 1919, Fay, Johnson, McClave, Martin.

**On the Campus**

Senior term bills issued June 1st, are due by June 15 at the latest.

Auditors have been working on the college books the past week.

Hon. J. P. Baxter of the Board of Overseers was on the campus lately.

Many of the pictures in the Art Building are receiving their regular cleaning and touching up these days.

Members of the two upper classes and their proxies have been practicing marching during the past week.

Students are requested to have registration cards signed by the instructors before returning to the Dean's office.

Psychology 3 and 4 which are usually withdrawn every other year, will, by exception, be offered in 1916-1917.

Moran '17 is candidate for nomination for the Democratic representative to the Legislature for his home town, Rockland.

The freshman banquet took place last night in Portland. The Maine Central R.R. granted special rates on its trains for that occasion.

The members of the Beta Theta Pi fraternity entertained their mothers at the chapter house last Tuesday and Wednesday. In the afternoon of the latter day many of the mothers attended the Colby game.

The Christian Association sent out some attractive pamphlets descriptive of the Northfield Student Conference last week, together with a



letter urging students to attend the conference if possible.

The Examining Committee was here last week. The committee consists of Hon. Lucilius A. Emery, Hon. Charles F. Johnson, Wilbert G. Mallett, Alfred E. Burton, Augustus F. Moulton, and Rev. Edward N. Packard.

Applicants for admission to the course in Municipal Government (Government 3) should hand in their names to Professor Hormell not later than June 6. The list of men admitted to the course will be posted June 7.

Candidates for admission to English 7 and 8 are requested to hand in their names to Professor Davis by June 5, together with a specimen of their English Composition. Election to membership in the course will be as heretofore by the instructors in the course and will be determined not later than June 6.

At a meeting of the Student Council last night nominations were made for members of next year's Student and Athletics Councils.

Crosby '17 and Oliver '17 will peddle the 1917 *Bugle* around the ends and fraternity houses early Friday morning, as usual. The *Bugles* will also be on sale at Memorial Hall in the afternoon.

#### CALENDAR

##### May

- 30. Memorial Day—College Holiday.  
Bowdoin vs. Bates at Lewiston.
- 31. Psi Upsilon House Party.  
Zeta Psi House Party.  
Delta Kappa Epsilon-Theta Delta Chi Joint Dance.

##### June

- 1. Ivy Play—Cumberland Theater.
- 2. 6 A. M. *Bugle* Appears.  
10 A. M. Bowdoin vs. Bates, Whittier Field.
- 3 P. M. Ivy Exercises, Memorial Hall.
- 4,30 P. M. Seniors' Last Chapel.
- 8 P. M. Ivy Dance, Gym.
- 2. Alpha Delta Phi-Zeta Psi Joint Dance.
- 8. Final Exams Begin.
- 15. Final Exams End.
- 19. Alexander Prize Speaking.
- 20. Class Day.
- 21. Alumni Dinner, President's Reception.  
Commencement Play.
- 22. Commencement Exercises.

#### Alumni Department

'50.—Word has been received of the death of Abner Morrill of Etna, N. Y., on May 23. Mr. Morrill received his A.M. from Bowdoin in 1853, and for several years taught school in New York

and Tennessee. From 1859 till 1865 he served as a pastor in several places throughout Maine. In 1865 he removed to Arcade, N. Y.; and in that state he also held several pastorates. From 1882-1885 he was School Commissioner of the State of New York. He retired from public life in 1911, after completing a half a century of work as a minister of the Gospel.

'03.—The engagement of Capt. Niles L. Perkins, of Augusta, to Miss Marion G. Sterling, of the same city has been announced. Mr. Perkins is well known throughout the State by reason of his political activities. He has been a councilman, city treasurer, tax collector, and has served as a member of the Maine Legislature. The wedding will probably take place in June, and the couple will reside at the National Soldiers' Home in Togus, where Mr. Perkins is now Quartermaster.

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## THE IVY PROGRAM

Prayer .....	Harvey D. Miller
Oration .....	Edward C. Moran, Jr.
Poem .....	Erik Achorn

## PRESENTATIONS

Our Old Lady—lorgnette ...	Lowry A. Biggers
Mexican Athlete—lariat ...	Arthur B. Chapman
Infant Prodigy—portrait ...	Forbes Rickard, Jr.
Steeple Jack—bag of sand ....	Frank E. Noyes
Popular Man—wooden spoon	

Lawrence H. Marston

Planting the Ivy

Singing of Ode.

## SENIORS' LAST CHAPEL

Following the Ivy exercises, the seniors will attend their last chapel exercises as a body and after the service will march out singing "Auld Lang Syne." The class marshal is Richard S. Fuller '16.

## IVY PLAY

The Masque and Gown presented "Mrs. Dot," a comedy by W. S. Maugham as the Ivy Play at the Cumberland Theatre last evening. The players were coached by Mrs. Arthur Flynt Brown of Brunswick. The cast of the play was:

Charles, Halstane's servant .....	Colter '18
Mr. Wright .....	Stride '17
Mr. Rixon .....	Achorn '17
Gerald Halstane .....	Jacob '18
James Blenkinsop .....	Willey '17
Freddie Perkins .....	Mooers '18
Mrs. Worthley (Mrs. Dot) .....	Corcoran '19
Lady Sellenger .....	Churchill '16
Miss Eliza MacGregor .....	Cobb '17
George, Blenkinsop's man .....	Maguire '17

## IVY ODE

May the sunlight shed blessings on this little spray

May the breezes caress it with care

For it symbol the true hearts that beat on this day

And the green-growing love that they bear.

Though the sharp-blowing winds of some envious year

May chill it and bring it to dust

Yet the thought of its greenness will ever bring cheer

To strengthen our love and our trust.

And t'will strengthen the undying love which we own

For our mother—the mother of men

O! Long may she flourish to reap all she's sown

And garner rich harvests she's sown.

HAL S. WHITE.

## DEKE-THETA DELT DANCES

The Theta of Delta Kappa Epsilon and the Eta of Theta Delta Chi held a joint dance at the Deke house Wednesday evening. Music was furnished by Lovell's orchestra of six pieces. The patronesses were Mrs. W. O. Fuller of Rockland, Mrs. Forrest Goodwin of Skowhegan, Mrs. Mary Stewart of Skowhegan, and Mrs. Charles Burr of Dorchester, Mass. The committee in charge of the dance was made up of Shumway '17, Spalding '17, and Ripley '18. Following the Ivy Play there was an informal hop at the Theta Delt house for which Kelley's orchestra played.

## ALPHA DELTA PHI-ZETA PSI DANCES

The local chapters of Alpha Delta Phi and Zeta Psi held a joint dance at the Zeta Psi house Wednesday evening. Strange's orchestra of Portland played for an order of twenty dances. The patronesses were Mrs. Henry Johnson, Mrs. Charles C. Hutchins, and Mrs. Charles T. Burnett of Brunswick, Mrs. Julia Fay of Brookline, Mass., Mrs. F. B. Nichols of Bath, Mrs. G. F. Colter of Marinette, Wis., and Mrs. A. M. R. Leech of Philadelphia, Pa. The committee in charge were Edwards '16, Achorn '17, Colter '18, and Leech '19. There will be another joint dance in the Union Saturday evening.

## PSI UPSILON HOUSE PARTY

The Kappa of Psi Upsilon held its annual house party at the chapter house with a reception Wednesday afternoon and a dance in the evening. In the receiving line were Mrs. George B. Keene of Augusta, Mrs. Charles A. Creighton of Thomaston, Miss Caroline Potter of Brunswick, Mrs. Walter L. Head of Bangor and Mrs. Hart-

ley C. Baxter of Brunswick poured, while Mrs. Charles T. Burnett and Miss Belle Smith presided over the punch and the ice cream. Kelley's orchestra furnished music for the dancing in the evening. The patronesses were Mrs. Keene and Mrs. Creighton. The committee in charge were Head '16, Ross '17 and Sloggett '18.

### THE CHALLENGE

(Ivy Poem, 1917)

Calm and the listless peace of summer heat;  
Hardly a breath to rouse the languid trees  
That cast upon the velvet at their feet  
Their purple pools; a sense of dreamless ease  
Pervades the whole of nature, like a spell.  
The soothing drowsy hum of restive bees,  
Chance twitterings of birds, the college bell  
That mocks the hours that slip so swiftly by—  
Heedless alike if we be ill or well,  
Careless alike if we should live or die—  
Are all that break a hush so deep, profound  
That one can almost feel its mantle lie  
Upon his spirit; not another sound  
To wake the slumbrous peace which laps us round.

"Peace" did I say? for the word seems to taunt me.  
Grim is the jest and yet grimmer the fact.  
Peace when the greatest of conflicts is raging,  
Hate rules a half of the world, word and act?

Every breeze from the eastward that fans us  
Wafts us the groans of an age that is done,  
Hark! for the clamor and uproar that reach us  
Herald the reign of another begun.

We sit with calm, unmoved, complacent air.  
We've food and clothes enough. Forsooth why care?  
As long as yellow gold enchants the eye,  
What matter if the pile be only high?  
Because some million fools, or less or more,  
Are killed, why stir ourselves to lock the door?  
Let them rave on; the more the merrier, too.  
We gain their loss; so be the devil's due.  
If only they exhaust themselves, you see,  
We need no longer fear their rivalry.

Ah God! it seems the very sky  
Must fall from out its place  
To save us from the infamy.  
Blot out this black disgrace;  
To cleanse once more this virgin land  
For a better, worthier race.

The portals of earth's fairest land  
Are standing open wide,  
From far Pacific's foam-kissed shore  
To Atlantic's wind-tossed tide.  
Who stands to take your father's place  
And guard their trust and pride?

When, 'neath her sheltering arm, they fled  
The tyrants cruel will,  
They heard the voice of God from high,  
And through them leapt a thrill.—  
An instant turn from din and gain!  
Can "you" not hear it still.

They hewed a home for Freedom here,  
Unswayed, fair, secure.  
Her shrine was deep in mind and soul,  
And there they kept it pure.  
Their hearts were brave, their arms were strong,  
And more—their aim was sure.

Clean mirth that laughs at little things,  
A faith that does not fall,  
Wills that admit but victory,  
Courage that cannot quail—  
With these they served a virgin state  
And mustered at her hall.

And when the first great struggle came,  
She did not call in vain.  
At Concord Bridge and Lexington  
Among the honored slain  
Your fathers lay—and some lived on  
To fight for her again.

And when the bugles' clamor blew  
The second great alarm,  
Who was it swore by home and God  
She should not suffer harm;  
From race to race, from man to man  
Should stretch fair Freedom's palm?

What is the need, O my friends, for the question?  
Look but around you with eyes that can see.  
Yours they were once in the glorious days past  
Shall they be yours in the time that shall be?  
Are you to prove as in past they have proven  
Worthy the stars and the bars of the free?

Stars the ideals that beacon us upward,  
Up from the coldness, the meanness, the sloth:  
Bars for the laws, the eternal, the changeless,  
Binding us earthward for work and for growth.  
Thus shall we pass to the great gone before us,  
Only attaining perfection through both.

Look at the face of magnanimous Howard,  
First in the van on great Gettysburg's day,  
Soldier and Christian, O matchless of spirit,  
Rally our ranks lest we sink by the way!  
Give us but half of thy patience and courage,  
We too mayasten humanity's clay.

There stands the bust of the hero of Round Top:  
Under your pines he is lying at rest.  
Not so his soul: with the poets of all ages  
Upward and onward he's marching abreast;  
Face looking forward and eyes gazing upward,  
Chivalrous hearted to meet every test.

Andrew, Bridge, Hubbard, Hyde, Fessenden, Mat-  
locks:  
Eminent, notable, glorious roll!  
Lasting is bronze, but their glory is deathless,  
Safe from the ravage of moth and of mole.  
Not for the lust after riches or conquest,  
Theirs is the victory of right and of soul.

This was the country they honored and died for.  
This was their college—how queenly she lies!  
Look at her sons who replied to the challenge,  
Think of the memories those tablets comprise.  
Will you declare that their valor was futile,  
Worthless the vision which kindled their eyes?

This was their country, and see how they loved her!  
Will you be there when her banners are flown?  
True they are gone, but their spirit's eternal,  
Not only theirs but a part of your own.  
Will you be with them in fighting for freedom?  
Will you be there when the bugles are blown?  
ERIK ACHORN.

### DEUTSCHER VEREIN BUMMEL

The Deutscher Verein opened New Meadows Inn last Friday evening with its annual Bummel. There was a good attendance and four new men were taken in. It is planned to have a more extended course of speakers next year, and the German comedy "Der Prozess" will be presented by the Verein during the winter.

### JOINT CABINET MEETING

The Christian Association joint cabinet meeting will have a banquet at New Meadows next Monday evening. This includes the members of both cabinets. Those who are to make the trip will please notify Professor Langley. The Debating Council and Biology Club will also be at the Inn that evening.

# NOMINATIONS BY STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council has made the following nominations for the annual college elections next Monday:

Senior members: (Ten to be elected) Bartlett, Blanchard, Bradford, Burleigh, Crane, Crosby, Humphrey, McConaughy, Marston, Miller, Moran, Oliver, Philbrick, Phillips, Rickard, Ross, Sampson, Shumway, Stone, White.

Junior members: (Two to be elected) A. S. Gray, MacCormick, Norton, Savage.

*Athletic Council.*—Senior members: (Two to be elected) Crosby, McConaughy, Phillips, Shumway.

Junior members: (Two to be elected) A. S. Gray, MacCormick, Savage, Walker.

Sophomore members: (One to be elected) Finn, Turner.

*Union Governors.*—Senior members: (Two to be elected) Crosby, Lovejoy, McConaughy, Marston.

Junior members: (Two to be elected) Jacob, MacCormick, Norton, Savage.

Sophomore members: Cole, Farnham.

## BOWDOIN DEFEATS BATES AGAIN

The second game with Bates resulted in a 3 to 1 victory for Bowdoin, Savage pitching his second varsity game. He allowed but two Bates hits, only one of which contributed to a score. The only Bates score came in the eighth when a single, a pass and a wild pitch brought in Talbot. The game was quite free from errors.

### BOWDOIN

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Donnell, 3b	3	2	2	1	0	0
Chapman, rf	3	0	1	2	0	0
McElwee, 1b	2	0	1	9	1	0
Finn, ss	4	0	0	3	4	0
Woodman, cf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Goodskey, 2b	3	1	1	3	1	0
Phillips, lf	3	0	0	2	0	1
Bradford, ss	3	0	1	3	1	0
Savage, p	3	0	0	1	5	1
Totals	28	3	6	27	12	2

### BATES

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Davis, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Marston, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0
MacDonald, 2b	4	0	1	2	2	0
Duncan, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Lord, c	4	0	0	5	2	0
Logan, 2b	3	0	0	3	4	0
Talbot, ss	3	1	1	2	0	1
Harvey, 1b	3	0	0	13	0	0
Davidson, p	0	0	0	0	2	0
Purvere, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Stone	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fowler, p	0	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	29	1	2	27	13	1

\*—Batted for Purvere in 8th.

Bowdoin	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	—3
Bates	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—1

Two base hit, Goodskey. Stolen bases, McElwee, Goodskey 2, Bradford. Sacrifice hits, Chapman, McElwee, Phillips. Double plays, Logan to MacDonald, Goodskey to Finn to McElwee. Left on bases, Bowdoin 4, Bates 4. First base on errors, Bowdoin 1,

Bates 2. Bases on balls, off Savage 3, off Davidson 2, off Purvere 1. Hits and earned runs, off Davidson, 3 hits, 2 runs in 21-3 innings; off Purvere, 3 and 1 in 5-2-3 innings; off Fowler, 0 and 0 in 1 inning; off Savage, 2 and 0 in 9 innings. Struck out, by Savage 2, by Purvere 4. Wild pitch, Savage. Umpire, Thayer. Time, 1:57.

## IVY HOP TONIGHT

The climax of Ivy week festivities at Bowdoin will be the Ivy hop in the Gymnasium tonight.

The patronesses at the hop will be Mrs. Henry Johnson, Mrs. Frank E. Woodruff, Mrs. William A. Moody, Mrs. Charles C. Hutchins, Mrs. Frank N. Whittier, Mrs. Wilmot B. Mitchell, Mrs. Charles T. Burnett, Mrs. Roscoe J. Ham, Mrs. Manton Copeland, Mrs. Orren C. Hornell, Mrs. Paul Nixon, Mrs. William Hawley Davis, Mrs. Gerald G. Wilder, Mrs. Alfred O. Gross, Mrs. Edward H. Wass, Mrs. Samuel B. Furbish, Mrs. Alice C. Little and Miss Anna E. Smith, all of Brunswick.

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## BIOLOGY CLUB FIELD DAY

The Biology Club will hold its annual field day next Monday. There will be a tramp to Gurnet in the morning, with biological observations and the like under Dr. Copeland and Dr. Gross. Men are requested to bring a good lunch with them. In the course of the day there may be swimming and baseball and later in the afternoon the club will return to New Meadows in a launch and will dine there. Kinsey '16 will be glad to hear of any who are planning to make the trip.



Leadbetter, Track Captain



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### CITIZENSHIP

E. Carleton Moran, Jr.

From that memorable day when the Declaration of Independence was signed, people have been able to call themselves citizens of the United States of America. In those early days, it was a peculiar privilege to be a citizen of the great Republic of the West. America was the haven of the oppressed of other lands, and as such was looked upon with disfavor by the great European rulers. This was the era of the French Revolution and the outbreak of Liberalism; this was the period when that great engine of repression—the Holy Alliance—was at its zenith of

power. To the European monarchs, America with its Liberalism, its political and social liberties and religious freedom, seemed a bad example to their subjects abroad, for in America people were at liberty to think and to reason why.

All these blessings of American citizenship were the result of hard fought struggles, and many a time the obstacles seemed insurmountable. It was only the indomitable courage and determination of these early Americans, who realized so strongly their duties and responsibilities to the new-born nation, that finally brought success. Hardly had the nation achieved its independence, when again in 1812 it was called upon to defend its newly won rights. As in the War for Independence, the outcome was a success, and American citizens could then begin to enjoy their privileges. Just at this time, the same spirit of Liberalism was kindled in numerous European countries, but it was sternly repressed. To the onlooking Americans, their privileges as citizens of the United States took an added significance, and they were prepared to go at any length to preserve their rights.

For the next half century, with the exception of the Mexican war, no great crises appeared. Internal consolidation and industrial development represented the efforts of American citizens. Meanwhile the population increased immensely, and more and more people shared the blessings of American citizenship. During this period, however, a new problem was arising, which was to culminate in the severest crisis the nation has ever had to face. The question of slavery alienated one section of the country from the other, and Civil War was the result. Disunion seemed imminent, but after a terrific struggle, was averted, and America entered upon a new period of growth and expansion.

The war with Spain only 18 years ago, again stirred up the patriotism of the country. This war bound more closely together the different sections of the country, and healed the wound caused by the Civil War. From that time to the present, no great crisis has occurred, and American citizens have been exerting their energies along materialistic lines, with the result that our nation is today one of the foremost industrial nations of the world.

Every true American is proud of the history of his country. It has been a record of remarkable successes and of great achievements. Step by step, period by period, America has undergone a gradual evolution from a weak, disunited nation into one of the greatest nations of the world. What has been the cause of this remarkable development?



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If it is possible to assign one cause to such a remarkable development, to me it seems that one of the greatest causes is that Americans in the past have realized and have fulfilled to a remarkable degree all of the duties and responsibilities of citizenship. In the past Americans have not hesitated to contribute their all for the preservation of their rights as a nation. At no period in our history have American citizens been found wanting in the fulfillment of their obligations. This is of peculiar significance, for the duties and responsibilities of an American citizen were vastly more complex and numerous than those of citizens of nearly all other nations. In most nations, the government controls the citizens; in America the citizens control the government. As a result, the continued progress of the nation at all times in its history depended upon an educated citizenry; the very existence of the nation depended upon the voluntary service of its citizens.

To us as citizens of the United States, a priceless heritage—America—has been bequeathed. Our forefathers who created this nation have long since died; the number of those patriots who preserved the unity of the nation is fast diminishing. To us present day Americans, the welfare and maintenance of this great republic are entrusted. The future of the nation depends upon its citizens of today and tomorrow. The maintenance of our democratic ideals, the continuance of our personal liberties, our very existence as an independent nation, are all dependent upon how we as citizens of this great nation live up to all our responsibilities and obligations. We should all undergo a careful self-examination, and see if we are prepared to assume these responsibilities; in other words, ascertain whether we are fitted to assume American citizenship.

What are some of the qualifications of citizenship? Since our future progress depends upon the adoption of wise policies, and since the citizens of the country indirectly control, through the right of suffrage, these policies, it follows that a good knowledge of present day public problems is a necessary requisite. If in addition one has a historical background, showing the causes and effects of past successes and failures, by the exercise of good judgment he is capable to take a hand intelligently in the direction of public affairs. When we realize that all Americans, whether they are thus capable or not, have an equal share in the direction of public affairs, we can see very easily how important it is for as many as possible to exercise their franchise intelligently. This, then, is one of the prime duties of citizenship—to so equip oneself as to be able

to do ones share in the direction of the activities and policies of the nation.

A second duty of true citizenship is to exercise the franchise. It seems incredible that a considerable number of citizens neglect to use their franchise at all. Out of about 25,000,000 citizens of voting age, only 15,000,000 voted at the last presidential election. If those who did not vote could be united in a single party they would elect a president with ease. The franchise is such a precious right that not to appreciate and use it is a criminal neglect of ones duties and responsibilities. Josiah Strong once said "America suffers from the bad citizenship of good men." Many men, with pessimistic indifference, prefer to let some one else run the government, and they themselves shirk from active participation.

A third duty is the subservience of personal and selfish ambitions to the greater good of the nation. It is not true citizenship to try to embroil this country in war so that a few may reap great profits in the sale of munitions of war. Neither is it true citizenship to allow oneself to be corrupted or bribed in order to accomplish the ambitions and ends of a particular class at the expense of another. The welfare of the nation as a whole, not that of a certain section or individuals, should be the end sought, and anyone who for the sake of personal gain allows himself to be swerved from this purpose thereby abuses one of his most fundamental duties to citizenship.

A fourth duty is preparation by the individual to assume his share in the defense of the country. This is especially important at the present moment. In a democracy such as ours, the very existence of the nation depends upon the volunteer service of its citizens. Every citizen should be willing to assume this existing obligation—it is one of the basic duties of citizenship.

Now, Americans, if we are to walk in the footsteps of our fathers, if we are to stand for the same ideals as they did, if we are to continue to make America "a land of the free" we must take into consideration the evolution of the centuries. In 1775 victory was secured by farmers stopping their ploughing and arming themselves with old muskets and hunting knives. With even these miserable arms they conquered, because in those days it was not equipment or training that were the primary requisites; it was the number and the morale of the men.

Today however conditions have changed, and it is these conditions that we must consider. The rapid growth of militarism and navalism has shown conclusively that the war of the future is to be won, not by the men alone, but by the rel-

ative preponderance of armament and training of the soldiers. The army which wins in the future is the one which is the best trained and best supplied with all the modern implements of war. The navy of the future which is to be dominant is the one which has the superior equipment, not only of men, but also of ships and hard metal and guns. These changed conditions are of great importance to us Americans. It means that no longer is it possible for men to spring to arms over night for national defense. Training is even more a requisite than numbers, and modern equipment is an imperative necessity.

The significance of this evolution is apparent. The future defense of a democracy like ours depends upon its citizenry. In this modern era, in order to assume adequately and efficiently this duty of defense, at least enough citizens to defend the country must be trained in the modern science of warfare. Perhaps, in view of our numbers, it is unnecessary for every man to be trained, but no man who is incapable of assuming his military obligation of his country is fitted to assume all of his burdens and duties of citizenship.

We are now living in an age of great happenings. The most stupendous war of all history is in progress. The policies of America are rendered therefore all the more difficult and complex. America needs leaders in all lines of endeavor to guide her during this critical period. No one knows when we too may be embroiled in the struggle. The crying need of the country today is for great statesmen, for far-sighted diplomats—in other words, good citizens and good citizen leaders. Our future destiny is to an immense degree dependent upon what we do at this present time. We need good citizens; especially do we need good citizen leaders.

Here is the function of the college. The supreme duty of the college should be to fit its students for one great end—good, intelligent citizenship. Society is under a great expense for the educational training of the college man. It was found that for the education of 325 Seniors at Yale the cost for the complete college course was over a million dollars. Bowdoin pays out \$5 for every dollar the student pays in toward instruction and the expense of running the college. Has all this been a paying investment to society? Yes, if it has provided good citizen leaders. Owing to the advantages of the college man, he is often called into positions of leadership which are so important at the present time. President Wilson, in a speech three months ago, said, "The present situation is more fraught with peril than at any time since the Civil War." Let us then, classmates, give ourselves a self ex-

amination, to see if we are fit to assume these positions of leadership in such a critical time as the present and the near future.

First, are we sufficiently equipped by the education we have received to be able to take an intelligent hand in the direction of the public policies of the nation? Are we sufficiently acquainted with modern political and social problems: Are we well enough acquainted with the happenings of the day, so that we can assume an intelligent leadership?

Secondly, shall we realize sufficiently the duties of citizenship so that we will cherish the franchise as an inalienable right and always exercise it?

Thirdly, shall we at all times be of strong enough character to subserve our personal and selfish ambitions to the greater good of the nation?

And Fourthly, are we willing and are we prepared to assume the existing obligation of defense of the country.

Let us combine with our qualities of nationalism in citizenship the essence of world citizenship—consideration for the interests of humanity. To do this we must, if possible, keep out of the world war. I do not mean by this "peace at any price" or any such doctrine. This is an age when cool, far sighted statesmen are needed. Hot heads and jingoes are not only as usual undesirable, but are an absolute menace. Let us bear in mind that the strain of war is heavy upon the shoulders of European Monarchs; that we should make all possible allowances for them. Let us remember that neither the German nor the American people want war—no people ever did or ever will.

We alone of the great nations are at peace. Let us remain so—as long as we can honorably—and thus further the interests of humanity. That is world citizenship—a broad outlook, ever for this enlightened age.

Remember that it is not patriotism to embroil the country in war; it is not even good citizenship. Let us so conduct ourselves as citizens of America and of the world, that we may direct intelligently the policy of our country, so that future historians may be able to record that America in this great crisis, remained at peace, and carried on through the dark period of world war, the light of civilization, and stood out before all the world as a splendid example of citizenship, and the true hope of humanity.

## RESOLUTIONS

BOWDOIN CHAPTER OF DELTA Upsilon

For the loss of our brother Harold Arthur Tucker, whose death at so untimely a stage has



taken from us, we, the members of the Bowdoin Chapter of Delta Upsilon, express our own sense of personal sorrow and extend our deepest sympathy to those other persons to whom he was dear.

*For the Chapter:*

JOHN D. CHURCHILL,  
EUGENE M. GILLESPIE,  
WILLIAM M. SIMONTON.

## Alumni Department

'60.—In his recently published "History and Procedure of the House of Representatives," D. S. Alexander of '70 pays this tribute to the real greatness and supremacy of Thomas B. Reed as a parliamentary leader: "It was at this crisis (1881-83) that Thomas B. Reed, declaring that the protection of the minority did not mean the destruction of the majority, began to inflict the blows that destroyed dilatory motions, limited the passage of special orders to a majority vote, exterminated the disappearing quorum, and then crystalized the results into rules which have become the accepted law of the House. As, in his time, Henry Clay freed the House from the control of the President, so Reed, for all time, freed it from the restraint of a minority. Clay governed by enforcing the old rules; Reed dominated by creating new rules. Clay made the House a power by managing men; Reed made it a power by establishing the majority's right to rule."

'61.—The History of the Maine State College and the University of Maine, of which Dr. Merritt C. Fernald was the author, is now in press and will be ready for distribution in June.

'77.—At the State Conference of Congregational Churches, which was recently held in Portland, Me., Rev. Edgar M. Cousins, of Brewer, acted as the Registrar of the conference, thus completing his twenty-fifth year of service in that capacity.

'77.—Dr. Phineas H. Ingalls, of Hartford, Conn., has been re-elected treasurer of the Connecticut State Medical Society.

'77-'94.—The organization of the Maine Aeronautical Coast Patrol has recently been perfected, in Portland. Among the list of directors are Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary '79, and Elias are Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary '77, and Elias er are Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary and Professor George T. Files '89, respectively.

'90.—Hon. Fred J. Allen has offered to give a large lot on the east side of Main St., between Sanford and Springvale villages, to be used as a

site for a new high school building if the town votes to build one this year. It has been estimated that a high school building suitable for present needs and planned to provide for future growth of the school will cost from \$60,000 to \$75,000, while a grade school building large enough to relieve the crowded conditions now existing can be built for about \$30,000.

'95.—William M. Ingraham, assistant secretary of war, is to be the principal speaker at the Bunker Hill Day celebration in Hartford, Conn. His subject is to be "Preparedness."

'06.—Richard Shaw, who has been in Hong Kong, China, for the past six months, with the International Banking Company, has been promoted and is now in Pekin, where he will probably be stationed for some time.

'10.—Frank C. Evans, who has recently been representative in the Chemical department in nitric acid work in the Du Pont Works at the Repauno Plant, has been promoted to the position of Acid Superintendent of their Hopewell Works at City Point, Va. The promotion represents more than a thousand dollars increase in salary and a position of great responsibility as Mr. Evans is in control of all the acid operations of the plant.

'10.—Alfred Wandtke of Lewiston, who is connected with the geology department of Harvard University, both as instructor and as a student of mining geology, has taken a position for the summer in Alaska. There he will be located in the Mt. Blackburn region, mapping the territory for evidences of copper deposits. The country in this particular district is almost entirely undeveloped and many sections have as yet never been visited other than by the men of the United States Geologic Survey. Evidences of copper in the Copper River territory indicate this section of Alaska as exceptionally rich in copper. Development by a New York mining company will be opened as soon as practicable if the geologic maps which Mr. Wandtke will make from his summer's investigation, prove as promising, of rich ore as the few shafts now sunk would indicate. Mr. Wandtke has left Lewiston, but will go first to Calumet, Mich., where the richest copper mine in the United States is located. There he will study copper mining conditions. From there he will go direct to Alaska.

'11.—The engagement is announced of Charles B. Hawes, of the editorial staff of *The Youth's Companion*, and Miss Dorothea Cable of Northampton, Mass. Miss Cable is the daughter of George W. Cable, the novelist, and one of his sisters married Professor Dennis of the University of Wisconsin, formerly on the Bowdoin faculty.





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'13.—Clifton O. Page of Bath has taken up his duties as instructor in English in the Technical High School of Springfield, Massachusetts. Previous to accepting this appointment, Mr. Page was principal of the Scarborough High School, and had brought the school up to a high standard of efficiency. The new position, however, is more lucrative, and enables Mr. Page to specialize in his chosen department. In addition to his instructorship in English, he has charge of all the student activities, and in this way will be closely allied with both the teachers and the students. This summer he will pursue a six weeks' course of study in the Columbia University Summer School.

'15.—A. G. Hildreth is now working in the Research Laboratory of the Du Ponts as a chemical engineer.

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## NEW INFIRMARY

The announcement was made in chapel last Wednesday morning that Bowdoin is to have a new infirmary to be known as the Dudley Coe Memorial Infirmary. The College has been given \$27,000 for this purpose by Dr. Thomas U. Coe '57 of Bangor, in memory of his son Dudley Coe who died at the age of fourteen. Dr. Coe also expressed the purpose of giving an endowment for the maintenance of the infirmary.

The need for an infirmary has been felt in recent years, especially during the mild epidemics which have swept over the campus such as the mumps epidemic of two years ago or the more recent prevalence of the gripe. Plans for the new building have already been drawn up, and work will start directly after Commencement. The building will probably be located behind the observatory, in line with the Hyde Athletic Building. Allen and Collens of Boston who designed the Gymnasium are the architects. The infirmary will be of brick in keeping with the newer buildings on the campus.

## CAPTAINS ELECTED

Benjamin P. Bradford '17 will captain the baseball team next year. He has caught for two years behind the bat, though last year he was out during most of the Maine series with scarlet fever. It was feared that the split finger which he received in the first Maine game this year would again keep him out of the series. Bradford has also made his football B, playing at end last fall.

Harold H. Sampson '17 was elected track captain for next year. He has made his letter for two years in the pole vault, and was the best pole vaulter in college this year.

The tennis team has picked Leigh Flynt '17 for captain next year. Flynt has been in varsity tennis since his freshman year.

## FOUR FRIARS INITIATED

The Friars held their annual initiation banquet at the Congress Square in Portland last Saturday evening, followed by a theatre party. The initiates are Alfred Shirley Gray, Franklin Dugald

MacCormick, Bela Winslow Norton, and Willard Arnold Savage.

## PROCTORS CHOSEN

The six seniors to serve as proctors next year have been picked by the Dean during the past week. Hereafter, the Student Council is to nominate ten men, six of whom will be chosen. The proctors in the various ends will be:

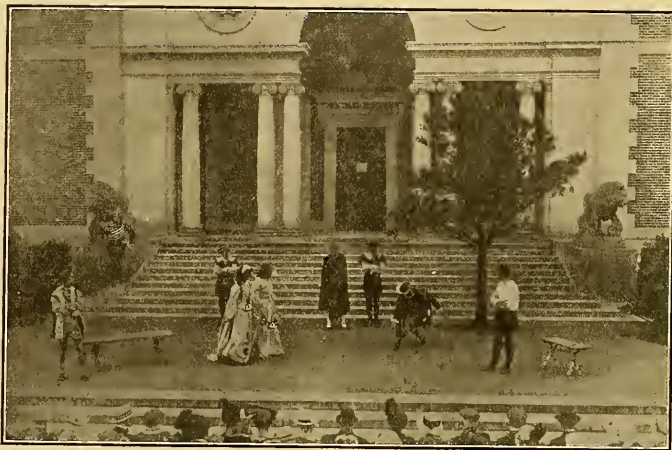
North Winthrop	McConaughy
South Winthrop	White
North Maine	Marston
South Maine	Oliver
North Appleton	Phillips
South Appleton	Bradford

## DEATH OF DR. ALFRED KING

Dr. Alfred King, professor of surgery on the faculty of the Bowdoin Medical School, died at his hospital in Portland on Sunday, June 4. He was considered one of the foremost surgeons in Maine, and his reputation had spread outside the state. He was at one time city physician of Portland and established a large private hospital there which bears his name. Dr. King was born in Portland and fitted at Portland High School. He was graduated from Colby in 1833, and from the Medical School of Maine in 1886. At Colby, he was a member of the Delta Kappa Epsilon Fraternity. He has been connected with the faculty of the Medical School since his graduation and since 1912 he has been professor of surgery.

## WEATHERHEAD URGES SUMMER PRACTICE

Summer football practice in passing the ball, learning the rules, and the like was urged by Weatherhead of Harvard who will coach the eleven next fall. There was a meeting of men interested in football at the Zete house Saturday evening and a number of prospective men in addition to the regulars were present. The new coach expressed his hope for a large squad next fall, and said that the inexperienced player has a chance to make good, citing several notable instances. Football practice will start on Monday, September 11, and the men who intend to go out next fall are requested to give their summer addresses to Manager Blanchard.



SCENE FROM THE COMMENCEMENT PLAY, "AS YOU LIKE IT"

#### AS YOU LIKE IT IN THE EVENING

The fact that it will be played in the evening on the Art Building terrace will make the Masque and Gown's presentation of *As You Like It* at Commencement one of the most picturesque dramatic performances ever given at the College. The special lighting effects and the changes in the cast will make the play considerably different from that which was played in the afternoon last year. The cast will be as follows:

The Duke .....	Noble '16
Duke Frederick .....	Mooers' '18
Amiens .....	Stetson '18
Jacques .....	White '16
LeBeau .....	Achorn '17
Oliver .....	Berryman '18
Orlando .....	J. E. Gray '18
Adam .....	Wiley '17
Charles .....	Ireland '16
William .....	Maguire '17
Touchstone .....	Biggers '17

Sylvius .....	Hargraves '19
Corin .....	Pettingill '16
Jacques de Bois .....	Rickard '17
Foresters .....	Burnham '16, McQuillan '18
Rosalind .....	Churchill '16
Celia .....	Angus '19
Phoebe .....	King '17

The players are being coached by a number of faculty members and since the majority of the men have had experience from last year the production should be finished, as well as picturesque.

Tickets will be on sale at the manager's room in the Gymnasium Thursday afternoon, June 15, from 1 to 2.30 P. M.

At a recent meeting of the Masque and Gown, the annual election of officers was held, resulting in the election of Biggers '17 as President, Colter '18, Manager, and Angus '19 and Rollins '19 as Assistant Managers. Cobb '17, Jacob '18 and Corcoran '19 were elected into membership.

## SPRING ATHLETICS FINISHED

Before the baseball season began, the college was optimistic, after it began, the attitude was pessimistic, but now that it is over, we can feel considerable just pride in our team. After a bad start which put us at the foot of the state league, the team pulled up to second place. The annual "southern" trip was something of a disappointment, in that rainy weather necessitated cancelling three games. Of the other two games played on the trip, Bowdoin won from Amherst and lost to Wesleyan. Without doubt the biggest feat of the season was the defeat of the undefeatable Tufts team. This is the only game that Tufts has lost this season.

Bowdoin's three freshman pitchers have been without doubt the best in the state. Increasing experience should make White, Savage and Butterfield hard men to beat in the next three years. The only letter men that we shall lose are Captain McElwee at first base, and Goodskey at second.

The men who made their letters this year are: Captain McElwee '16, Goodskey '16, Bradford '17, Chapman '17, Phillips '17, Donnell '18, Woodman '18, Finn '19, Savage '19, White '19, and Manager McConaughy '17.

## THE TRACK SEASON

Bowdoin has had a successful season in track. We won easily the dual meet with Bates by a score of 84 to 42. The next week the team went to Boston and in the closest meet of the season, with M.I.T. was defeated by a score of 68 to 58. In the Maine intercollegiate meet held here at Brunswick, Bowdoin came out with a second place. Following this came the New England Intercollegiate in which we tied with Holy Cross for third position. In this meet Captain Leadbetter was the individual star winning eleven points. Savage '18 also broke a record in the low hurdles. Captain Leadbetter and Savage were sent to the big I.C.A.A.A. Meet at Cambridge where they picked up five points for the White against competition from the best athletes of America.

We shall miss Captain Leadbetter and Moulton in the weights, Hall in the broad jump and Webster in hurdles and dashes next year, but we shall still have considerable good material left.

## IVY DAY GAME BOWDOIN 9, BATES 1

The nine wound up its season in good style by beating Bates 9 to 1 in the annual Ivy Day game. The White played in the snappiest form it has shown this year. The pitching, fielding and batting were of the first order throughout the entire game.

The game was clinched in the first inning when, with two men on bases, Woodman drove a home run over the right fence. From then on the team scored consistently, knocking Purvere, Bates' freshman pitcher, out of the box for the second time this year, and hitting Fowler, his successor on the mound, pretty much at will.

The team had its batting eye in particularly good order, every man getting at least one hit. Bates got seven hits, but speedy double plays and close fielding prevented their getting more than one run in the last inning.

This game gave Bowdoin second place in the Maine State championship series.

The summary:

BOWDOIN										
	ab	r	bh	po	a	e				
Donnell, 3b	5	0	1	2	3	1				
Chapman, rf	6	2	1	0	0	0				
McElwee, 1b	6	2	1	0	0	0				
Finn, ss	4	1	2	2	3	0				
Woodman, cf	3	1	1	4	0	0				
Goodskey, 2b	4	1	2	2	2	1				
Phillips, lf	4	2	1	2	0	0				
Bradford, c	4	0	1	6	3	0				
White, p	2	1	1	0	2	0				
	35	9	12	27	13	2				
BATES										
	ab	r	bh	po	a	e				
Davis, cf	4	0	1	1	1	0				
Marston, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0				
Thurston, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0				
McDonald, 2b	3	0	1	1	2	1				
Duncan, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0				
Lord, c	2	0	0	10	4	0				
Talbot, ss	4	0	0	4	3	1				
Logan, 3b	4	0	0	3	0	0				
Harvey, 1b	4	1	3	4	0	2				
Purvere, p	2	0	0	0	2	0				
Fowler, p	2	0	0	0	1	0				
*Stone	1	0	1	0	0	0				
	34	1	7	24	13	4				

\*Batted for Fowler in the 9th.

Bowdoin ..... 3 0 1 4 0 0 1 x—9  
 Bates ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1  
 Two base hit, McElwee. Three base hit, Goodskey.  
 Home run, Woodman. Stolen bases, Donnell, Phillips, White, Duncan 3. Hits off Purvere, 5 in 3-2-3 innings; off Fowler, 7 in 4-1-3 innings. Left on bases, Bowdoin 5, Bates 4. Bases on balls by Purvere 1, Fowler 2, White 3. Struck out by Purvere 3, Fowler 3, White 8. Double plays, Goodskey to Finn to McElwee, White to Bradford to McElwee, Lord to Talbot. Hit by pitched ball, by Purvere, White. Passed balls, by Lord 1, by Bradford 1. Umpires, Thayer and Conway. Time, 2h 5m.

## STANDING IN MAINE SERIES

	Won	Lost	Tied	Per Cent.
Maine	4	2	2	.667
Bowdoin	5	4		.555
Bates	4	4	1	.500
Colby	2	5	1	.286

## RIFLE CLUB

Members of the Rifle Club wishing to shoot on the range during the examination period may make arrangements for doing so any morning or afternoon by communicating with Schlosberg '18, at least twenty-four hours before the time when they wish to shoot.



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## The Infirmary

It is very gratifying to learn that, after several years of agitation, Bowdoin is at last to have an infirmary. It is still more gratifying to know that the conditions of the gift are such as to assure a highly satisfactory building, well-equipped and endowed and suited to the needs of the college for a long time to come. To Doctor Coe, by whose generosity to his Alma Mater the realization of our long-felt want has been secured, we owe deep appreciation and gratitude. While we might hope that the Infirmary would never have to be used, experience in recent years would disprove such a possibility, but we do expect to see a marked decrease in the severity of contagious diseases here, provided only that the students will

cooperate in putting the Infirmary to its greatest usefulness.

## The Baseball Championship

It is with considerable surprise that we hear reports from the University of Maine to the effect that Maine now claims this year's baseball championship. This may be unofficial and we will hope such is the case. But if Maine really intends to claim the pennant then it is time for the managements of the other colleges to make a protest. Bowdoin has won five and lost four games, being the only one so far to complete the schedule of nine games. Maine at the present time has a higher percentage, though she has won fewer games, simply because she has still three games to play. We can see no possible right to a championship which is based upon a lead in percentage with the season only two-thirds over. If Maine should lose two of her unplayed games, Bowdoin would tie her for first place. If Maine should lose all three, Bowdoin would still be tied for first, but with either Colby or Bates. With the result of the season still so uncertain, then, it is important that we should know for a certainty what Maine intends to do, and, in case rumor is upheld, to demand, together with the other colleges interested, that these games be played off at once or else to refuse the University the right to the championship.

## A. S. B. C. ELECTIONS

The results of the college elections which were held Monday of last week are as follows:

*Student Council*—President, Marston '17; vice-president, McConaughy '17; secretary, Crosby '17; Senior Members: Blanchard '17, Oliver '17, Phillips '17, Sampson '17, Shumway '17, White '17, Humphrey '17; Junior Members: MacCormick '18, Norton '18.

*Athletic Council*—Senior Members: McConaughy '17, Phillips '17; Junior Members: A. S. Gray '18, Walker '18; Sophomore Member: Turner '19.

*Bowdoin Union Board*—Senior Members: Marston '17 (chairman), McConaughy '17; Junior Members: MacCormick '18, Norton '18; Sophomore Member: Cole '19.

Baseball Manager: MacCormick '18.

Assistant Baseball Manager: Cole '19.

Track Manager: Walker '18.

Assistant Track Manager: Mahoney '19.

Tennis Manager: Norton '18.

Assistant Tennis Manager: McGorrill '19.

It was voted that each student be assessed for the support of the Bowdoin Union the sum of fifty cents, said assessment to be placed on the

term bill; provided the college authorities subscribe an equal amount.

#### LETTER FROM FRANK SMITH '12

SOMEWHERE IN FRANCE,  
May 13, '16.

My Dear McConaghy,

It is pouring rain in torrents, (as usual) and the weather is raw and cold, yet my little wet tent never seemed so bright and cheerful and the reason can be found in your letter.

I am writing you, as you are the spokesman of the undergraduates, but it is hard to find words suitably put together so that I might express my true feelings and thanks: not only for the generous gift of \$231.75, and what it will mean for the men under my care, but also for the grand old Bowdoin spirit behind the gift.

Tell the fellows that they can never know what this spontaneous contribution means to a Bowdoin man far away in a mud hole in France. Why it puts in me new life, new spirit, new strength, yes, it will even stimulate my average brain to a keener study of my difficult cases. So you see that free hearted present will give results you would never have dreamed of.

Why, I feel exactly as I did as captain of that great old eleven in the fall of 1910 when I was seriously injured and could not play the last two games. But the firm hand clasps; the set lips and the look in each man's eye as he went onto the field told me my team would play for old Bowdoin as they never had done when I was actually with them, and the results speak for themselves. So today I feel that the same old spirit is alive.

When I receive your money from the bankers. I will tell you how it is all spent, how the men enjoy the things purchased, how delighted are the Sisters in my ward from the charge nurse down, and how some of my fellow workers feel about the little college among the pines.

Professor Mitchell will be horrified at the unity, coherence and general composition of this epistle. But it comes from a heart full of love and loyalty for the place I think of daily as Commencement draws near; for the generous way in which you have shown me that such a Mother never forgets her sons for the spot dearest to me of all spots on earth—Bowdoin.

I must leave now to attend my most serious and try to get warm by a few of the exercises I used to give the classes in make-up gym.

Best wishes for the success of the teams, for a glorious Commencement and for a loyal, stalwart body of undergraduates.

Yours for Old Bowdoin,  
LIEUT. FRANK A. SMITH,

22 General Hospital,  
British Expeditionary Force.

#### THE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

The report of President Hyde for 1915-16 has appeared containing also the reports of the Dean, the Dean of the Medical School, the Librarian, and the Director of the Art Building.

Tribute is paid to Alfred Mitchell, M.D., LL.D., who died June 13, 1915 at the age of 79, and who had served as Dean of the Medical School until 1911, and as an instructor for the 42 years preceding his death. George Thomas Little, Litt.D., an instructor and librarian since 1882, who died August sixth, 1915, at the age of 59, and Ira Peirce Booker, A.M., a former Secretary of the Board of Overseers and Treasurer, who died March 19, 1916, complete the list of deceased officers who receive merited tributes from President Hyde.

Gifts amounting to \$147,932.69 for the College and \$1,600 for the Medical School, are announced. Subscriptions for the Union totalled \$5,765 and payments upon the Gymnasium Building fund \$616.33. A statement of subscriptions and receipts for the latter fund is printed in the report.

The teaching staff is very near an all-professor staff of teachers selected, not on the basis of published research, but of capacity to teach. Five courses in Government will be offered after this year. For the first time in the recent history of the College, no professor or instructor has been lost to other institutions.

Attendance at a military camp will be counted as a course toward the degree, if accompanied by a satisfactory course in Military Science. The possibility of such a course at Bowdoin, as well as the formation of a militia company in the College has not been decided upon as yet.

The Christian Association has a membership of 364; its employment agency has furnished work for 55 men; collections of money and clothing have been made for Thanksgiving dinners to the poor, to Dr. Grenfell's Labrador Mission and to Dr. Frank A. Smith for the French Emergency Hospitals. Four lectures were given under the auspices of the association, and four courses in religious instruction were conducted. A night school for mill men, a boys' club at Pejepscot Mills and a Sunday school at Maquoit were other enterprises carried on successfully during the year.

On June 22, 1915, the Student Council submitted a petition to the Trustees and Overseers, for

an infirmary. An alumnus and friend has since then offered to build and endow such an institution.

The Union has been created from the old Sargent Gymnasium and has proved its usefulness in the brief time since February. It is estimated that an average of 125 men make use of the building's privileges daily.

A large number of pictures or trophies have been furnished for the trophy room in the Gymnasium.

Among the more important needs of the College are a swimming pool, a permanent fence for Whittier Field and an increase of endowment for general purposes.

Professor Johnson, director of the Art Museum announces nine additions and seven loans to the Museum during the past year.

Summaries of the Dean's and Librarian's reports have already appeared.

#### PULLMAN COURSES

The men picked for English 7-8, the honorary course under the six professors, are: Achorn, Biggers, Blanchard, Crosby, Rickard, and White.

The ten men admitted to the course in Municipal Government for the coming year are: Crosby, Jacob, Moran, Oliver, Philbrick, Phillips, Ramsdell, Shumway, Stone, and Tuttle.

#### WHEELER SPEAKS TO HISTORY MEN

Hon. E. W. Wheeler addressed the classes in Government and American History last Wednesday on "Efficiency in State Government." Among other means of obtaining greater efficiency, Mr. Wheeler suggested a bureau for drafting bills because of the numerous improperly worded bills which now go before the legislature. His plan would provide a corps of experienced bill drafters. The speaker also favored giving the governor more power to enforce the state laws.

#### CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION REPORT

During the year 1915-1916, activities of the Bowdoin College Christian Association were divided into three parts: on the campus, off the campus, and student conferences.

On the campus, the Association centered its efforts on student service, collection of clothing and money for charitable and humanitarian organizations, and upon Y.M.C.A. meetings. For the entering class a reception was held, handbooks distributed, and every effort made to start the new men comfortably. An active campaign for membership made our total enrollment 364. An employment agency has given work amount-

ing to about \$150 to fifty-five men. A book-loan agency and a tutoring bureau have helped needy applicants. Early in the fall a collection of serviceable clothing was made for Dr. Grenfell's Labrador Hospital Mission. On the Sunday preceding Thanksgiving a chapel collection of \$30.00 was taken and the proceeds used for the purchase of dinners for eight needy town families. After suitable discussion and notification the Cabinet decided to divert the funds formerly sent to Mr. A. S. Hiwale '09, to Dr. Frank Smith '12, who is serving in the Harvard Unit, to be used by him for hospital supplies.

There have been four public meetings of the Association as follows:

- (1) "Labor Problems from the Labor Man's Standpoint," C. L. Lovely, Vice Pres. Boot and Shoe Workers' Union.
- (2) "Public Health, Today and Tomorrow," Prof. Wm. T. Sedgwick, Head of Dept. of Biology, M.I.T.
- (3) "Conditions in France," Mme. Charles LeVerrier of Paris.
- (4) "Opportunities in Journalism,"

John Clair Minot, *Youth's Companion*.

In addition to these meetings there have been a limited number of cabinet meetings. The business of the Association has been well subdivided and placed under effective committees left to make general reports at occasional intervals. Finally a restricted number of men have met to discuss Association ways and means at private and entirely unadvertised meetings.

Off the campus the Association has made its greatest effort. Its chief work has been to maintain a night school for French mill men. Thanks to the coöperation of the town, which gave the use of the new high school building and necessary books, and to the mill men, who attended faithfully and to the college students who served honestly, it was able to hold classes twice each week from Nov. 1, to March 15. The courses of instruction were reading, writing and arithmetic. At Pejepscot Mills, a boys' club was revived and set in healthy motion. During the year twelve college men have at various times assisted in its activities, and once each week, two men have gone from Brunswick to teach the boys scout practice, and the lore of the Knights of King Arthur. At Maquoit, a clam-diggers' settlement some two and a half miles from Brunswick, and a place entirely without church influence, a Sunday school has been started for little boys and girls, and through the coöperation of the First Parish Church of Brunswick, has maintained weekly meetings successfully since Christmas time. The

attendance consists of about twenty-five children and seven mothers. Each Sunday four of the young ladies from the church, and as many men from the Association drive to the village school-house to hold their meetings. Throughout the coming summer, the children's interest will be maintained by a vegetable growing competition, for which seeds and prizes will be provided.

Supplementing these activities there were held at Christmas time three parties for children, in which college men served as the inevitable Santa Claus, and for which funds were provided by contributions from mill men attending our night school, from students and faculty, and by appropriation from the Association's general fund. Each proved a success and in no small way has helped to create a feeling of good will between townspeople and college.

Finally, the Association has sent out nine deputations with a total of twenty-one men, and still has several calls for the remaining part of the season. The groups of young men forming a deputation go to schools or churches, where before a meeting of young people they advocate the principles of right living and honorable ambitions which constitute Christian manliness.

Formerly a conference of all colleges and secondary schools in Maine was entertained in rotation by Bates, Bowdoin, Colby and University of Maine. At the meeting held in Lewiston in 1915, the proportion of secondary school to college attendants was so great as to demand the separation of the two bodies. The colleges voted to hold their conference annually at the State Y. M.C.A. camp, where on the Friday, Saturday and Sunday preceding the beginning of classes, delegates could discuss and plan their year's work. Also, the secondary schools decided to hold their conference annually under the auspices of the State Committee, and requested to be assisted therein by students from each of the four colleges.

#### CONCLUSION AND RECOMMENDATIONS

As a result of the experience of the past year, we present the following conclusions and recommendations:

(1) Our figures for membership are not strictly honest. They imply a gross excess of working members. A committee has been appointed to revise our membership basis to differentiate between nominal and active workers.

(2) Our freshman work is poorly developed. Next fall, a well organized information bureau will take charge of the new men from the instant of their arrival on the campus. Our present loan library will be completely weeded out and meas-

ures taken to secure new and useful books. The employment agency will seek opportunities not only in Brunswick but in surrounding towns. Wider efforts will be made to interest the new men in Association work.

(3) Our collection of clothing and money for charitable and humanitarian organization was successful. Subsequent shipments to Dr. Grenfell will be made in the spring instead of the fall, and money sent formerly entirely to Mr. Hiwale will hereafter be applied to a different charity each year.

(4) Our efforts in religious education were unsatisfactory. The hypothesis that student leaders for Bible classes are ineffective had been amply demonstrated previously, and the substitution of faculty leadership failed to produce the desired results. In our opinion, the failure of students to attend these courses consistently, is due not to any barrenness of religious interest, or to any lack of appreciation of the work of the faculty leaders, but rather to the fact that, crowded with a week of compulsory lectures, facing the obligation of daily chapel, and often attending three church services on Sunday, students are justifiably unwilling to give up their remaining Sunday time for a Bible class. Previous experience has demonstrated the difficulty of holding classes on days other than Sunday, and it has been discouragingly true that our only success in recruiting Bible study classes has been among the type who already over-crowd their Sundays with church activities. As a remedy we plan a broader effort to relate students and churches, and respectfully suggest the addition to the College curriculum of a course in Biblical Literature given by a competent professor.

(5) Our public lecture meetings have been notably successful. We are convinced of the value of a small number of most eminent speakers.

(6) Our night school has been successful as far as it has gone. Next year more extended courses will be offered in reading, history, government, writing, spelling, shop arithmetic and mechanical drawing. We are convinced that in this field lies our greatest opportunity.

(7) Our Boys' Club and our Sunday Schools are in good shape. Here too we are hopeful of great accomplishment.

(8) Our deputations were satisfactory. Much care was taken in placing men, and we have guarded against putting inexperienced students in false positions. For the future we shall concentrate our deputation efforts on preparatory schools rather than upon churches.



(9) Our attitude towards Student Conferences is pessimistic. We believe that in spite of the sincerity of purpose and effort on the part of their promoters, the results are largely negative. The spirit of repugnance often displayed by students is justified by the apparent commercialized appeals and sentimentalism.

Finally, it is our plan to study further the legitimate departments of Y.M.C.A. activity which demand the attention and excite the respect of college young men, and modelling our work upon the results, we are hopeful of placing the Association undergraduate interests.

Respectfully submitted.

M. E. LANGLEY,  
General Secretary.

### With the Faculty

Professor Mitchell delivered the graduation sermon at Patten Academy, June fourth, and on the evening of June eighth, he addressed the graduating class of the Poland graded schools.

Miss Boardman is visiting for a few weeks in Pittsfield, Mass.

Professor Langley is the faculty representative at the dedication of the new Cambridge buildings at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, this week.

Professor Mitchell was elected to the Board of Trustees of Bangor Theological Seminary recently.

Professor Files attended the closing exercises at the Misses Masters' School at Dobb's Ferry, N. Y.

J. Fred Ripley of Taunton, Mass., died last Thursday at the hospital in Portland. Mr. Ripley was on his way to visit his daughter, Mrs. Copeland, when he was taken ill.

Mr. Wilder will attend the meeting of the American Library Association at Asbury Park, N. J., this month.

### On the Campus

The last college chapel was held Sunday.

J. C. Minot '96 was on the campus Sunday.

The annual obituary record is now in press.

Rooms for next year were signed up for last week.

There will be a Commencement number of the Quill.

A new edition of the expense bulletin will appear shortly.

Ivy weather was perfect. Now the same for Commencement.

Bailey '16 has the distinction of being listed in "Who's Who in New England."

Rumors from Orono have it that there may be a change in the track coaching.

Bridge '16 has purchased the Citizen's Laundry in Brunswick and will take charge of operating it.

The next issue of the ORIENT will be the annual Commencement number and will appear Thursday, June 22.

The Athletic Building was in demand during the rainy days last week by tennis players.

The campus paths have been treated with the edge cutter this week in preparation for Commencement.

On the campus recently were: G. Floyd '15, W. E. Atwood '10, E. G. Barber '12, R. A. Monroe '14, H. Chatto '15.

Charles Hamm, Jr., Assistant General Secretary of the Delta Kappa Epsilon Fraternity visited the Theta Chapter here last week.

The hours at which Greek I will be held will be decided next fall when the class convenes. The hours stated in the catalogue will not necessarily be followed.

Mr. L. M. McCray, General Manager of the Atlantic Shore Railroad, Kennebunk, Me., requires a few motormen and conductors for the summer months. Any students desiring positions may apply to him.

The Class of 1917 *Bugles* which appeared on the campus Ivy Day were very favorably received and sold quickly. The few remaining copies can be obtained from Crosby '17 at the Deke House for \$1.50.

The Seniors' Last Supper was observed in all the fraternity houses last week. After the supper several of the fraternities marched around the campus singing their songs and cheering the other fraternities and the "ends."

A senior and a sophomore took a trip to Canada recently via Grand Trunk freight. They were held up on the border and given the alternative of enlisting with the Allies or returning to Brunswick. They chose the less exciting and came back as guests of the Dominion.

Any doubt as to the popularity of our Art Building will be dispelled by the figures in Professor Johnson's report which show that 8085 persons visited the building during the last calendar year.

The freshmen celebrated their freedom from sophomore domination Ivy Night by marching through the town and burning their freshman caps in a huge bonfire near the gymnasium. The sound of fire crackers brought out those attending the Ivy Hop and a great crowd viewed the illumination. As a consequence of the fire the freshman class is likely to furnish part of a new fence for the Athletic Field—by request.

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## 111TH COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

*Sunday, June 18*

The Baccalaureate Sermon by President Hyde, Church on the Hill, 4 P. M.

*Monday, June 19*

The Alexander Prize Speaking in Memorial Hall

*Tuesday, June 20*

Class Day exercises in Memorial Hall at 10 A. M. and under the Thorndike Oak, 3 P. M.

Commencement Hop, Gymnasium, 9 P. M.

Meeting of the Trustees, 2 P. M.

Meeting of the Overseers, 7 P. M.

*Wednesday, June 21*

Baseball Game, Alumni vs. Varsity, Whittier Field, 10.00 A. M.

Annual meeting of the Phi Beta Kappa, Alpha of Maine, 11 A. M.

Annual meeting of Alumni Association, 1.30, preceded by buffet lunch in Bowdoin Union.

Meeting of Class Secretaries, 2.30 P. M.

Memorial Musical Service, Chapel, 2.30.

President's Reception, Art Building Terrace, 4 to 6 P. M.

Masque and Gown, As You Like It, Art Building Terrace, 8 P. M.

*Thursday, June 22*

Commencement exercises of the College and Medical School, 10.30 A. M.

Alumni Dinner in Gymnasium.

## SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

PRESIDENT, Herbert H. Foster.

VICE-PRESIDENT, William D. Ireland.

SECRETARY-TREASURER, Dwight H. Sayward.

MARSHAL, Richard S. Fuller

ORATOR, Don J. Edwards.

POET, Donald S. White.

OPENING ADDRESS, Guy W. Leadbetter.

FAREWELL ADDRESS, Hayward T. Parsons.

HISTORIAN, Edward P. Garland.

ODIST, Ora L. Evans.

CLASS DAY COMMITTEE, E. P. Garland, A. F. Head, E. R. Little, L. D. Pettingill, and R. S. Fuller.

## PHI BETA KAPPA

Phi Beta Kappa, Alpha of Maine, held its an-

nual election Wednesday morning. The following men were elected to membership:

From 1915—Kenneth Elmer Ramsay.

From 1916—Ralph Lester Barrett, Sidney MacGilvary Brown, Aaron Wallace Canney, Lawrence Joseph Hart, Laurence Irving Abraham Seth Schwartz, Philip Francis Watherill.

From 1917—Boyd Wheeler Bartlett, Clarence Henry Crosby, Noel Charlton Little, James Churchill Oliver.

## DEAN SILLS RECEIVES LL.D.

The University of Maine bestowed the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws upon Dean Kenneth C. M. Sills at its Commencement last week. Dean Sills was graduated from Bowdoin in the class of 1901, and received the degree of Master of Arts from Harvard in 1903. Since 1907, he has been Winkley Professor of Latin, and has been dean of the college since 1910.

## FACULTY PROMOTIONS

At the meeting of the boards, the following faculty promotions were made:

Gerald Gardner Wilder, Librarian

Edward Hames Wass, Assistant Professor of Music and organist.

Rhys Daryydd Evans, Assistant Professor of Physics

Philip Weston Meserve, Assistant Professor of Chemistry

Thomas Curtis Van Cleve, Assistant Professor of History

William Edmund Milne, Assistant Professor of Mathematics

John Lincoln Baxter, Instructor in German, first semester 1916-7.

## STRAIGHT "A" MEN

Barrett '16

Irving '16

Kinsey '16

Weatherill '16

Bartlett '17

Crosby '17

Oliver '17

Stone '17

## CLASS DAY EXERCISES

### OPENING ADDRESS—GUY W. LEADBETTER

Bowdoin's halls will ever be dear to this class as the guiding stars, which many times have lighted our faltering footsteps through the dark night of uncertainty. We, nurtured by our beloved professors, have seen the dawn slowly creep in, and at last the day of realization has broken.

Throughout our college course we have striven to get wisdom and to get understanding, to acquire something of good which twenty years hence will influence our lives in the right direction. Man, like the lower animal, is moulded by environment. For the four best years of our lives we have been absorbing that indomitable spirit of each for all, and all for each, which every Bowdoin man knows so saturates the atmosphere of the college.

A standard has been set by those who have gone before us; they have aimed high, and in a short lifetime can advocate but little way. The door is about to be opened and we as a class are to be let in to give our light to humanity; it is opportunity.

Continually there is a call for new blood with new ideas, and each generation of college men is welcomed by the world. I pray God that our class may not be found wanting when placed in the balance. The state calls, the nation calls, humanity calls, and as one man 1916 rises to respond.

### ORATION—DON J. EDWARDS

The Oration by Don J. Edwards was a plea for preparedness, not the impulsive rush to arms, but the fashioning of ideals, the establishing of justice, and the valiant standing of one's ground. He said, in part:

"On the morning of March ninth, an armed force of Mexican bandits invaded the sovereign territory of the United States at Columbus, New Mexico. Men and women were murdered in cold blood, and their homes burned over them, and the troops were improperly equipped and ineffectual. A frank and brutal picture of the inability of this country to protect its citizens. What should America's answer be?

"This raid served as a spark to light the tinder of public opinion which promptly blazed into a hot flare of patriotic fear. The country became a vast camp of military revivalists, singing its hymns to action, and praying for salvation in preparedness.

"Is this America's answer? Do we expect to

remedy defects which imperil the very existence of our state by a flurry and a flare which will not last beyond the declaration of peace in Europe? Evidently the present method of government is not the answer to America's problem. We cannot expect in a few months, or even a few years, to build up a policy which has been foreign to the country since its birth. Our preparedness must consist in something more fundamental than the passing of a law, something which is lasting and founded on the rock of idealism—which is will to be something, and that the best. We must prepare by educating ourselves to seek and know this ideal, by our willingness to share the sacrifice and burden which our membership in this democracy entails.

"We shall prepare, but not for conquest. We shall educate, but not for world dominion. We shall hold to our ideals and raise them aloft. We shall endeavor, as far as in us lies to adapt to new conditions this old battle-cry of our fathers, 'To establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general welfare, and secure the blessings of liberty,' and to this add the mandate 'Fear God and take your own part.' This is America's answer."

### CLOSING ADDRESS—HAYWARD T. PARSONS

For four years this class which is gathered here today, has been in process of unification. With each succeeding year a new link has been forged in the chain which today makes us one. With the forging of every link has come a broader and deeper understanding of those ties which bind man to man, and the durability of which represents the real test of true friendship and brotherhood. That these ties are not alone of today or yesterday, but of tomorrow as well, is shown by the permanence and stability of the college itself, to which they owe their creation.

If we have become such units because of the college, how much more has the college become a unit because of classes such as ours: experience with which has made possible many education, it is particularly fitting that the exercises today are connected with the Thorndike Oak, around which, these men who have gone before were accustomed to gather, the oak which like the college, has grown more sturdy and majestic with the passing of the years.

This week we are about to say farewell to each other and to the foster mother we love so dearly, and our hearts are filled with conflicting emotions. We realize that our mother has placed in our hands a valuable and wonderfully helpful instrument, a college education. It is ours to

make the most of, and the success with which we use it will not depend upon the mother who gave it, nor the society upon which we try it, but upon our own individual selves.

#### POEM—DONALD S. WHITE

The Commencement Poem by Donald S. White dealt with the true meaning of the college course and the results of the friendships formed during the four years. This is summed up in the verses:

Ah, not through books and discourse of the wise  
Come truest home the lessons to the soul  
But unawares the grander truths arise  
From dreams and friendship as the seasons roll.

The friendships all intangible as air  
Yet strong as iron and as true as steel  
Have shown us more than books, that life is fair,  
That truth is law, and happiness is real.

#### CLASS HISTORY—EDWARD P. GARLAND

It is a difficult task indeed to record the history of the class of 1916. It would be worthy of the efforts of the greatest writers. How humbly do I then attempt this work, realizing, as I do, both the greatness of the past and my own poor qualifications:

On the morning of Sept. 26, 1912, a crowd of somewhat unsophisticated youths gathered in the first four forms in King Chapel, those reserved for freshmen, and the class of 1916 was born. We were an extraordinary class from the beginning, numbering at the start 117 men, the largest class that had ever entered Bowdoin.

On Oct. 4 came Proclamation Night. We used the sophomores very gently that evening compared with what they deserved. Then came the first baseball game and the subsequent tug of war. We dragged them only from the Delta to the chapel.

The next fall we came back as sophomores, our numbers being reduced to 102 men. We won the baseball series and the football game from the class of 1917 that fall and later the interclass debate.

In the fall of 1914 we returned to Brunswick, our ranks somewhat reduced by the strain of two years, only 86 names remaining on the list. However, we confidently took up the work of junior year. At Ivy time our class was host. We endeavored to uphold the good records of those who had gone before us, and, barring a few minor details of the day, such as planting the woodbine for lack of ivy, it was successful.

The summer over, we gathered for our last

year at old Bowdoin. During this year, we have, as a class, taken over the duties and responsibilities incumbent upon seniors. As we look back over our four years we can see where our members have well represented us in all lines. In closing our life as students at Bowdoin, there comes to us a feeling of sorrow, together with a feeling of satisfaction. We are sorry that these four years of close association are over, four matchless years in our lives. We are satisfied with having honorably lived our career as a class at old Bowdoin. We realize that better classes than we are have graduated, but we hope and feel that we are not the worst. We appreciate all that the College has given to us and deeply hope that we may have done some good in return. We take from the College a love that will live and grow like the oak above us. We reaffirm our faith in its aims and ideals and claim them as ours.

"Bowdoin from birth the nurturer of men,  
To thee, we pledge our love again."

#### PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION

There was a change in the program Wednesday, the President's reception coming in the afternoon with the play in the evening. The reception was held on the Art Building terrace at four in the afternoon. In the receiving line were President and Mrs. William DeWitt Hyde, Professor and Mrs. Henry Johnson, and Dean Kenneth C. M. Sills.

Those serving were: Mrs. Frank E. Woodruff, Mrs. Frank N. Whittier, Mrs. George T. Files and Mrs. Wilmot B. Mitchell. The assistants were Miss Frances Skolfield, Miss Helen Mitchell, Miss Mary Elliott, Miss Ruth Nearing, Miss Isabel Whittier, Miss Sarah Baxter, Miss Ellen Baxter, Miss Emily Baxter, all of Brunswick, and Miss Marion White of Bangor.

#### NON-GRADUATE CATALOGUE APPEARS

During the past week a non-graduate catalogue of the college and medical school has appeared. The work reflects great credit upon the librarian, Mr. Gerald G. Wilder, who compiled it. The facts concerning the men who attended Bowdoin but were not graduated were much harder to gather than those of the graduates, yet the work is remarkably complete. A special edition containing the 1912 graduate catalogue, the non-graduates, and those who have received degrees since 1912 has been published and for accuracy and thoroughness, it makes a reference work which ranks high among college catalogues.



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## A Change in Commencement

A radical change in our time-honored Commencement program has been suggested recently by some of our alumni. This is to hold the Commencement exercises during the week-end rather than in the middle of the week. For instance Saturday could be Class Day; the Baccalaureate Sermon would come Sunday, and the Commencement exercises Monday. The various fraternity and class reunions could be then arranged to fit in with this program, or if necessary, Tuesday could be made the final day. To prevent too great a press on the Dean's office in its clerical work, the examination period could be brought forward a day or so with little loss to classes.

The advantages of this reformed program would be many. Many more alumni could return for a week-end than are able to leave their positions in the middle of the week. Taking out Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday breaks up the whole week for a busy man and prevents many from returning, who desire to, and would, if time permitted. This alone should be a strong argument for the change.

A second argument is the advantage to the students of an earlier closing. At present the student who remains for Commencement must take a full week after examinations are finished, and at a time when, as in the case of the summer ball-player or hotel bell-boy, it is important to get to work immediately. It is thought that under the proposed conditions more students would feel able to stay over, thus increasing the desired contact of students and alumni. They would then be getting home or to work two or three days sooner than at present and saving a day or two which are now absolutely wasted.

At least one small New England college has adopted this change and it would seem advisable at this time for the alumni and the Boards to discuss the matter seriously, considering the arguments for each side, and then decide on the course which seems to best suit the interests of the greater number.

## LETTER FROM LINCOLN '91

ST. JOHN'S UNIVERSITY,

SHANGHAI, MAY 8, 1916.

"How I should like to be back at Bowdoin this year for my 25th! But instead of meeting with those I care for I shall be caring for those I meet with: namely the hordes of the great unwashed.

I wish you could be here and see how beautiful the campus is. Spring is well advanced tho the weather has not been as warm as we usually have it at this time.

Tomorrow I am going up to Wusih. Wednesday morning the new church there will be consecrated; a ceremony I have never yet seen.

The students have just been celebrating with a lantern procession, fire crackers and a bonfire, their victory at an intercollegiate track meet held on Saturday at Soochane. It was quite like a home celebration and indicates how China is changing. Seventeen years ago such a thing was unknown.

Be sure and send me papers with full accounts of Commencement this year."

CHARLES S. F. LINCOLN '91.

## FRIAR CUP STANDING

Second Semester. 1915-16. Standing by Classes

	No. of Men	Total Grades	Average Grade
Alpha Delta Phi	26	388.5	14.942
Phi Theta Upsilon	49	556	14.631
Beta Chi	27	380.5	14.092
Delta Upsilon	40	536	13.400
Kappa Sigma	37	495	13.378
Delta Kappa Epsilon	39	510	13.076
Zeta Psi	34	441	12.970
Theta Delta Chi	27	331.5	12.444
Beta Theta Pi	31	369	11.903
Non-Fraternity	39	443	11.359
Psi Upsilon	31	340	10.967

1916

Alpha Delta Phi	7	124	17.714
Beta Chi	4	69	17.250
Delta Kappa Epsilon	10	155	15.500
Zeta Psi	9	128	14.222
Non-Fraternity	5	71	14.200
Phi Theta Upsilon	7	99	14.143
Beta Theta Pi	7	97	13.857
Delta Upsilon	11	150	13.636
Kappa Sigma	8	110	13.500
Theta Delta Chi	4	52	13.000
Psi Upsilon	8	94	11.750

1917

Theta Delta Chi	5	99	19.800
Non-Fraternity	5	85	17.000
Kappa Sigma	8	127	15.875
Beta Chi	3	47	15.700
Delta Kappa Epsilon	12	186.5	15.451
Phi Theta Upsilon	12	186	15.500
Alpha Delta Phi	4	60	15.000
Zeta Psi	7	104.3	14.928
Beta Theta Pi	8	115	14.375
Delta Upsilon	11	156.5	14.227
Psi Upsilon	7	54.5	11.900

1918

Alpha Delta Phi	6	89.5	14.916
Kappa Sigma	8	115.5	14.437
Phi Theta Upsilon	12	186	14.250
Delta Upsilon	8	111	13.875
Beta Chi	13	178	13.692
Zeta Psi	8	88.5	11.062
Theta Delta Chi	11	113.5	10.772
Psi Upsilon	13	137	10.538
Beta Theta Pi	8	71.5	8.937
Non-Fraternity	12	87	7.250
Delta Kappa Epsilon	4	20.5	5.125

1919

Phi Theta Upsilon	7	100	14.285
Alpha Delta Phi	9	115	12.778
Beta Chi	7	86.5	13.357
Zeta Psi	10	120	12.000

Delta Upsilon	10	118.5	11.850
Non-Fraternity	17	200.1	11.764
Delta Kappa Epsilon	13	148	11.384
Kappa Sigma	13	142	10.961
Beta Theta Pi	8	85.5	10.687
Psi Upsilon	5	49.5	9.900
Theta Delta Chi	7	67	9.571

## ALEXANDER PRIZE SPEAKING

Moors '18 won the Alexander Prize Speaking for the second time, Monday evening, again giving a selection from Dickens. The second prize was given to Willey '17, who spoke one of the poems of Holman Day. Professor Mitchell presided. The program was as follows:

At a Phi Beta Kappa Dinner *Wilson*

FRANCIS WILLIAM JACOB '18

From Clive *Browning*

GASTON MCFARLAND STEPHENS '19

John W. Jones *Day*

FREDERICK WILLIAM WILLEY '17

The Death of Charles the Ninth *Moore*

MILTON MORSE MCGORRILL '19

In Defense of Haywood *Darrov*

ETHER SHEPLEY PAUL, 2ND '19

A Soldier of the Empire *Page*

ARTHUR BURTON CHAPMAN '17

From Strife *Galsworthy*

ROBERT GREENHALGH ALBION '18

From A Commencement Address *Curtis*

JOHN BOWERS MATTHEWS '18

From a Christmas Carol *Dickens*

HORATIO TOBEY MOORS '18

The alternates were Ralph Irving '19, Charles M. Sprague '19 and Hugh A. Mitchell '19.

## BACCALAUREATE SERMON

The Baccalaureate sermon by President Hyde was given in the Church on the Hill, Sunday. President Hyde's subject was *Our Country's Call to World Leadership*, and his text: "Go ye therefore and teach all nations." Matthew 28:19.

He said in part:

"The great war has made impossible the isolation of the United States. Henceforth we must assume world-wide responsibilities: and consider the effect on other nations of what we do and what we are.

"Military preparedness is a part of this: but a very secondary and subordinate part. We are called to teach the nations a nobler and a better life: not at the muzzle of the gun and the point of the bayonet: but by such obvious superiority as will lead them to accept it as what they most admire and long for. Our wealth, our size, our education, our freedom from the burdens of obsolete traditions, all conspire to call us to this in-

ternational leadership. To be alive and young in America today, facing this great national responsibility, is as glorious as Wordsworth found it when revolutionary ideas were stirring the Europe of his youth.

"Here in America not one out of our scores of denominations is fit to be the nucleus of a world-church. Our opportunity for leadership lies in the development of a genuine Christian spirit in all these forms: so that the word Christian shall stand not for a thin veneer of intellectualism: nor a hard crust of dogma: nor an elaborate wrapping of ritual: nor a repulsive cloak of asceticism: but for a warm and generous devotion to the real welfare of all whom our lives can reach with sympathy and touch with helpfulness. Such a world-church should put an end to war: settle industrial strife: foster sound morals: develop happy family life: promote civic responsibility: and enlist each individual member in a world-wide service. The nations of the earth are hungry for such a Gospel: thirsty for such a spiritual life: and to pass to them the bread and wine of such a religion should be the aim of American Christians.

"Members of the Graduating Class:—

"The college sends you forth into the life of the nation to do your part, if possible by creative construction, at least by appreciative support in making America fit to be the leader of the world in honest industry, sound science, clean art, pure politics, just international relations, and a religion of world-wide human helpfulness. She expects you to do all these things in patriotic devotion to your country: and in generous service through your country to all the nations of the earth. Whether or not you are by vocation preachers and teachers, by the incidence and influence of your lives you are called to make your country a lesson to the world in that Christian democracy which makes the righteousness and happiness of all the interest and aim of each.

"For the military defense of such a country you will of course at all times stand ready: but in addition to this duty which you share with all your fellow-citizens, as scholars you owe it to your country to make her worthy to be defended in all the respects in which a nation can be great.

"The college that stays here will endeavor to teach these lessons to succeeding classes of youth more effectively and winsomely with each advancing year: but it is the greater privilege of you who go forth to teach them by embodiment and application in the vital affairs of men: in business and politics: in science and art: in international justice and religious aspiration.

"Go forth then for justice, for truth, for

purity, for honor, for country and for God, knowing that by losing yourselves in these larger services, you will find yourselves, and fulfill the high hopes the college cherishes for your temporal and eternal welfare."

## COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

DONALD S. WHITE

EDGAR ALLEN POE

The secret of a poet's genius may be quite as truly determined by what he has as by what he has not. The key to the inner chamber of the genius of Edgar Allen Poe, the open sesame of his enigmatic personality, the secret at the same time of his strength and of his weakness—lies in his lack of humanity. His aloof soul, devoid of human sympathy, wrapped in his own unearthly visions, sought always a refuge from reality, a Nirvana untroubled with strife and pain. His lack of human sympathy, his detachment, his consistent disinterest toward all questions of morality and human conduct, is the fountain head where originate all the strange fantastic rivers of his being. It was this lack of sympathy which in part at least embittered his own life, which rendered him friendless and brought him to ruin. His unhealthy yet idealistic spirit sought perfection and permanence on earth, and not finding them, took refuge in strange lands of his fancy—realms of death and destruction, or demons and dim forms, of indefinite longing, of torture and regret.

Edgar Allen Poe was one to pity but not to love. His willful anti-social perversity, his proud aloof egoism, his morbidly tragic personality, in a word, his lack of humanity, forever exclude him from the fellowship and love of mankind. But there is also something in his satanic and lonely figure which disarms our criticism and awakens even our sympathy. The dual nature of his personality adds pathos to the sordid tragedy of his life. The music of the spheres led his soul upward to the regions of ethereal loveliness, but the ill-omened croaking of his own bird of fate, ominously, inexorably compelled his tormented spirit to the dark regions of horror and pain.

ALFRED C. KINSEY

ART AND SCIENCE—COMPANIONS

I owned a friend in a gray squirrel, yonder.

We met first by chance. I had no thought of making as lowly an acquaintance, and he on his part showed little liking for my presence. When I threw an acorn at him, he perched on an upper limb and scolded in a dozen ways. He coughed and choked with invective; he mispronounced all

he said. But my squirrel and I found, as time went on that our paths were often to cross. We talked together; we confided our troubles. Each was a mystery to the other, but we were friends.

Art, the guardian of beauty, has had individualized my squirrel, had taken it out of a disorderly superabundance of things, had made it a unit

Science, seeking a different end, individualizes the squirrel in a different way. It seeks the physiology of the tooth, it shows the perfection of microscopic tissues, it applies psychological principles and interprets the animal's behavior, and working thus it learns laws and classifications of all knowable things.

Art and science each employ correct methods.

But neither is sufficient alone. Art alone fails to see the universe as a whole, stops at small considerations. Science alone fails to find the inspiration from a prolonged contemplation of individuals. Art alone develops weaklings, science alone, monsters. Somewhere, somehow, we must combine the two.

Great laws of creation and life I learned from my squirrel, the type. Great truths of trust and fear, of troubles and delights, of delightful peculiarities, of friendship, I learned from my squirrel, the individual of beauty. And when, one morning, I found that the car had struck the life from the gray thing, I felt the loss of a particularly personal possession I had cherished. I was glad for the laws it had taught, glad for the love it had inspired. Art and science, together, friends build symmetrically, science enlightening art, art leaving science.

#### GUY W. LEADBETTER

##### JUSTICE TO THE UNCIVILIZED

From the beginning, civilization has continually changed its centers, shifting gradually from the extreme oriental locations to the more occidental ones, until at the present day we of the west are living in what is considered to be an enlightened age. Just what is the nature of our present society? At the outset we must not confuse morality with civilization. Civilization is the sum of instrumentalities promoting the higher interests of man; it is merely an instrument to be used for the attainment of a greater end, morality. European nations are fighting today for dominance over nations weaker than themselves. The root of evil lies in the system of colonization. The desire to secure access to foreign markets, to control the sources of valuable products, to grasp an opportunity for foreign investment, tends more and more towards imperialism. A question of the day much discussed in all circles is "Which country is in the right?" But

is it not possible that all the warring nations are in the wrong, that the ultimate goal is a crime against civilization?

It is the duty of the American nation to take steps toward a constructive reform which, though slow, will be stable, and to uphold before the whole world its policy of common good. There must be a change in the present policy. If a nation is too weak to use that precious thing called liberty it must be taught to use it and we must keep in mind that there the right intention is everything. We are wont to force upon an uncivilized people, who live upon tradition, our modern mechanical views of life, so suddenly that they are antagonized at once, and the progressive work is retarded. Shall we advance morally? We cannot predict, but faith in this sort of progress comes in the experience of it.

#### SYDNEY M. BROWN

##### THE METAMORPHOSIS OF FAUST

About four hundred years ago there lived in the vicinity of Weimar a very learned and misunderstood person known as Dr. Johann Faust. It was long the custom of the puppet players and the contemporary writers to regard this man as a mere practitioner of the Black Arts, and in addition to this unfavorable title, a rascal and malefactor of the most unworthy sort. It remained, however, for the penetrating mind of Goethe to see in this character more than a mere dissatisfied scholar who for the sake of temporary pleasures upon this earth, risking vague and uncertain punishments of the life to come, renounced his soul to the devil and became irrevocably lost.

Faust the mediaevalist dies. Faust the monotonous scholar has passed away yet none weep for him. Faust the Idealist—Faust the Pantheist—Faust the Romanticist—Faust the Modern is born and the world is thankful.

Faust is the triumphal paean of civilization; the glorification of individual culture, made worthy by collective tasks, for Faust is ever striving, and makes a stepping-stone from each experience to a more complete form of existence. Faust is the spirit of the renaissance, bursting traditional faith and traditional morals. Every pursuing, he rushes through all experiences. Sin becomes for him an ennobling agent. His life is for the world at large. Each new temptation he turns into an opportunity for wider activity.

It is the proclamation of the redeeming power of unceasing endeavor and pursuit, making man's natural receptiveness subservient to moral aims, and blending into a noble whole the highest and



best of spiritual culture.

And in our new Faust are found all these modern ideas and concepts. That is why he interests us; for he and we are one: That is the secret of his world-wide fame.

#### HONORARY DEGREES

Doctor of Science, John J. Carty of New York, Chief engineer of the American Telephone and Telegraph Co.

Master of Arts, Henry Cole Quimby of New York; Frederic Winslow Adams of Bangor; Charles T. Hawes '76 of Bangor.

#### THE GRADUATES

*The following men were awarded the degree of Bachelor of Arts:*

Ralph Edwin Gilmore Bailey (as of the class of 1910.)

Francis Howard Bate  
John Lincoln Baxter  
George Ernest Beal  
Adriel Ulmer Bird  
James Scott Brackett  
James Hiram Brewster  
Sydney MacGillvary Brown  
Vaughan Forrest Burnham  
Robert Campbell, Jr.  
Aaron Wallace Canney  
Philip Linwood Carter  
William Emery Chase, Jr.  
John Doane Churchill  
Eugene Joseph Cronin  
Alfred Hall Crossman  
Eudore Alphonse Drapeau  
Robert Rutherford Drummond  
James Alfred Dunn  
Malcolm Henry Dyar  
Ora Liston Evans  
Herbert Henry Foster  
Richard Stearns Fuller  
Edward Philip Garland  
Donald Payson George  
Allan Joseph Ginty  
Alex John Goodskey  
John Robinson Gould (as of the class of

1885.)

George Douglas Grierson  
Lawrence Joseph Hart  
Frank Hobart Lord Hargraves  
Edward Carey Hawes  
Alden Fairfield Head  
Hugh Merrill Hescock  
Carroll William Hodgkins

David Patten Howard (as of the class of

1885.)

Laurence Irving  
David Francis Kelley  
Raymond Horace Larrabee  
Guy Whitman Leadbetter  
Edward Robert Little  
William Mason Bradley Lord  
Frederick James Lynch (as of the class of

1915.)

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Ralph Colby Parmenter  
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Maurice Clifton Proctor  
Raymond Miller Richardson  
John Waterman Robie  
Dwight Harold Sayward  
Abraham Seth Shwartz  
Earle Revere Stratton  
George Richard Stuart  
Harry Sanborn Thomas  
Harry Trust  
Philip Francis Weatherill  
Carl Alfred Weick  
Donald Sherman White  
Henry Wilson Oliver (as of the class of

1896.)

John Glenwood Winter  
Henry Gerard Wood  
Willard Paine Woodman  
Ivan Hyde Yenetchi

*The following men were awarded the degree of Bachelor of Science:*

Ralph Lester Barrett  
Laurence Winslow Cartland  
Frederick Ellery Cruff  
Don Jerome Edwards  
Lowell Allison Elliott  
Samuel Fraser  
Chauncey Alfred Hall  
Donald Clarke Hight  
William Dunning Ireland  
Alfred Charles Kinsey  
Arthur Eldredge Littlefield  
James Burleigh Moulton  
Lee Duren Pettengill  
Langdon Robert White

*Awarded the Degree of Doctor of Medicine*

Raymond Willis Clarke  
George Otis Cummings, A.B.

Clarence Joel Fernald, A.B.  
 Alton Levincount Grant, Jr., A.B.  
 Percy Kendall Holmes, A.M.  
 Nessib Simon Kupelian, A.B., B.D.  
 William Satterlee Leavenworth  
 Bryant Edward Moulton, A.B.  
 Clyde Earle Richardson, A.B.  
 Gard Wilson Twaddle

#### AWARDS AND PRIZES

*Charles Carroll Everett Scholarship:*

Laurence Irving, 1916

*Henry W. Longfellow Graduate Scholarship:*

Donald Sherman White, 1916

*David Sewall Premium:*

Raymond Loring Atwood, 1919

*Class of 1868 Prize:*

Donald Sherman White, 1916

*Smyth Mathematical Prize:*

Bradbury Julian Bagley, 1918

*Sewall Greek Prize:*

George Stuart DeMott, 1918

*Sewall Latin Prize:*

Francis William Jacob, 1918

*Goodwin Commencement Prize:*

Donald Sherman White, 1916

*Pray English Prize:* Hal Saunders White, 1917

*Goodwin French Prize:*

Lewis Albert Burleigh, Jr., 1919

*Noyes Political Economy Prize:*

Theodore Burgess Fobes, 1917

*Brown Composition Prizes:*

Lew Maurice Noble, 1916, 1st

Dwight Harold Sayward, 1916, 2nd

*Class of 1875 Prize in American History:*

Herbert Henry Foster, 1916

*Bradbury Debating Prizes:*

FIRST PRIZES Arthur Burton Chapman, 1917

Hugh Merrill Hescok, 1916

Francis William Jacob, 1918

#### SECOND PRIZES

Clifton Wentworth Bowdoin, 1917

David Alphonso Lane, Jr., 1917

Edward Carleton Moran, Jr., 1917

*Hawthorne Prize:*

Horatio Tobey Mooers, 1918

*Alexander Prize Speaking:*

FIRST Horatio Tobey Mooers, 1918

SECOND Frederick William Willey, 1917

*Philo Sherman Bennett Prize:*

Edwin Howard Blanchard, 1917

*Almon Goodwin Prize:*

Noel Charlton Little, 1917

*Hiland Lockwood Fairbanks Prizes for Excellence in Debating:*

#### FIRST SEMESTER

David Alphonso Lane, Jr., 1917

#### SECOND SEMESTER

Francis William Jacob, 1918

*Hiland Lockwood Fairbanks Prizes for Excellence in Public Speaking:*

Ether Shepley Paul, 1919

John Albert Edgar McClave, 1919

*Brown Memorial Scholarships:*

Abraham Seth Schwartz, 1916

Theodore Burgess Fobes, 1917

Robert G. Albion, 1918

Frank Arthur Hilton, 1919

*The Colonel William H. Owen Premium:*

Aaron Wallace Canney, 1916

#### KU KLUX RIDERS TERRIFY CAMPUS

Last evening as the Commencement play came to an end, the audience was startled by terrific war whoops from the further end of the campus, and half a hundred men, clad in the uniform of the famous Ku Klux Klan of the south, dashed across the campus, headed by several men on horseback. It was the members of the class of 1911, celebrating their fifth reunion, appearing for the first time in their uniforms. At their head was the "grand wizard of the invisible empire," William H. Clifford of Lewiston, and he carried a huge blazing cross. The uniforms were striking,—long flowing robes of white, while on the breast of each man was emblazoned the southern fiery cross. The men were masked so that their features were indistinguishable and it was some little time before the alumni as a whole knew what class it was. The idea was based on Thomas A. Dixon's "Clansman" which recently attracted so much attention when it was dramatized for the moving pictures under the title "The Birth of a Nation."

The class had a tent on the Delta, open day and night. About fifty out of the 72 in the class returned for the reunion. There was a smoker at the tent Tuesday evening, and yesterday afternoon there was a clambake at Maquoit. The committee in charge of the reunion were Ernest G. Fifield of Boston, Fred R. Lord of Augusta, Harrison L. Robinson of Bangor, and Harry L. Wiggin of Boston.

#### PROF. HAM TO GO TO RUSSIA

Professor Roscoe J. Ham has been appointed one of a party of eleven to go to Russia to study Red Cross conditions, and the state of the prisoners in the Russian camps. He will be officially attached to the American legation at Petrograd, though most of the work will be under the American minister at Moscow. Professor Ham will leave Saturday, probably, and will be absent

during the first semester next year. He has been in the German department of the Bowdoin faculty since 1901, with the exception of two years at Trinity College. He is a graduate of Harvard and has studied at the University of Berlin.

### REPORT OF STUDENT COUNCIL

#### RECEIPTS

Balance, G. A. McWilliams, 1915 .....	\$ .73
Sale of Caps .....	115.00
Football Dance .....	21.76
Rallies .....	28.10
Blanket Tax Allotment .....	25.00

Total .....\$190.59

#### DISBURSEMENTS

Wm. Filene's Sons, (Caps) .....	\$ 62.50
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Stamps and Incidentals .....	3.40

Total .....\$179.37

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Sec'y Treas.

Audited June 20, 1916.

W. B. MITCHELL,  
Faculty Auditor.

### COMMUNICATION

*To the Editor of the Orient:—*

Sir:—I wish to explain the motives that have prompted me to make a protest against what I consider a downward tendency in Bowdoin scholarship. In the last three years, which I mention because they include my own experience in college, there have been certain instructorships filled by men without experience in teaching or without the training of graduate work. To be specific, to mention names, Tuttle, Hayes, Coffin, Bodurtha, Fobes, Oliver, and others have taught in the college either as undergraduates or as graduates without experience or training. Now I learn that John L. Baxter of the class of 1916, is to return in the fall as instructor in German after having taken eight German courses in Bowdoin.

This and the other instances mentioned I can not reconcile with the expressed policy of President Hyde of scouring the country to secure new instructors and professors. I can not reconcile myself to seeing elementary courses in the hands of instructors without experience or training. It

seems quite reasonable to me to demand from an instructor as much experience or graduate work for qualification at Bowdoin as is demanded at Portland High School or the Boston high schools or other reputable and progressive schools. I have heard the statement that inexperience may be forgiven in a Bowdoin instructor, provided the appointment is merely temporary. Is this quite just to the undergraduates who must forego the advantages of expert and mature instruction, while experiments are made with the various departments?

There are, I am sensible, certain reasons why this policy has been followed which are not evident at first glance. I am conscious that there has been a deficit the past year; I also feel certain that the search for a German instructor has been confined to the class of 1916. Is there a relation between these two statements? If financial reasons governed the faculty when they pursued this policy in the past and gave their sanction to it recently, if they have chosen to follow this method of economizing, has it been without consideration of other means? Has the limit of financial loyalty been reached among the alumni? Are certain courses indispensable to the extent that quality must be sacrificed on the altar of quantity?

There are certain courses in the curriculum which are recognized on the campus as "snap courses." I might mention them to meet with denial on the part of the men who teach them, but I have seen the undergraduates elect them laughingly with the avowed intention of a peaceful year. Yet in nearly every instance these courses are taught by full professors, while elementary courses are entrusted to instructors such as I have referred to.

I have written this letter frankly; I can not vouch for the pedagogical soundness of my convictions, but I can vouch for the sincerity of my belief. I believe, furthermore, that I speak for the majority of the undergraduates when I protest against inexperience and lack of training in instruction in the elementary courses; I have talked with many of the undergraduates, have found confirmation for my belief in their own convictions, and have received offers of signatures to a round robin or a common letter. I write impersonally; I do not accuse Mr. Baxter or the others of inefficiency or incompetence. My protest is that by the appointment of inexperienced instructors, the undergraduates, especially the freshmen, are deprived, temporarily, perhaps, of the expert instruction in the elementary courses that is so necessary for the pursuit of

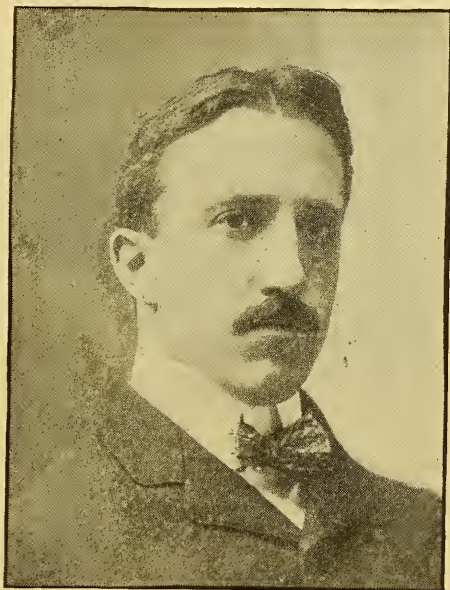
more advanced courses.

I only wish to ask one more question. Is it more important that the instruction given at Bowdoin should be thorough, although limited, or that new courses should be added constantly

without regard for the financial ability of the college to equip them properly?

Very truly yours,

EDWIN H. BLANCHARD, 1917.



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## LARGER THAN EVER BEFORE

Never before in the 114 years of Bowdoin's history has the registration exceeded 400. Only once last year was that number reached, but mid-years shrunk the registration again. At present there are 424 enrolled, the class distribution being as follows:

1917 .....	83
1918 .....	92
1919 .....	110
1920 .....	134
Specials .....	5
	424

The Freshmen have nearly broken the record set by 1918 as the largest class to enter, and before the week is over, 140 will probably be reached. The mortality was not heavy during the summer, and the upper classes are still fairly intact.

The fact that Bowdoin has had a registration of 400 in two consecutive years will probably mean the erection of a new dormitory during the coming year. Winthrop, Maine, and Appleton cannot accommodate half the student body, and the fraternity houses are not able to look out for the other half, so that there is more rooming off the campus than usual.

Among the men who will not return to College this year are Boothby '17, Colbath '17, Keene '17, Berryman '18, Brierly '18, C. D. Brown '18, Creighton '18, Curran '18, Howard '18, Farnham '18, MacIntosh '18, MacMullin '18, Morse '18, Pirnie '18, Roper '18, Sanderson '18, Skolfield '18, Wallace '18, Wheel '18, Woodfill '18, Burrough '19, Erwere '19, Fernald '19, Hemenway '19, Moon '19, Robinson '19, Schwartz '19, G. M. Stephens '19, and Warren '19.

## BOWDOIN DEFEATS MIDDLEBURY

The Bowdoin eleven launched its 1916 season successfully by defeating Middlebury Saturday with a score of 7-0. The score was made by Bradford on an end run with the ball on the three yard line.

The team played a fairly consistent game throughout. With the weight a little to its advantage, it was able to pierce the Middlebury line

almost at will and only the failure to take advantage of several opportunities to score prevented a larger tally. While the line was not particularly strong on the defensive, the backfield played a good game for the first of the season, Bowdoin's interference was particularly good.

Middlebury was never dangerously near the Bowdoin goal posts. Captain Horsford broke up several dangerous plays, and Whitney, the Middlebury quarterback, ran back several punts. One unsuccessful field goal was attempted.

In general the game showed Bowdoin to be in good early season shape. Under the excellent coaching of Weatherhead the men worked well together and showed good knowledge of the game. Whether they will hold together against a heavier team, the Maine series will tell.

Among the features of the game was the good offensive work of Peacock, a forty yard run on an intercepted forward pass by Chapman and the general playing of Bartlett.

The summary:

BOWDOIN	MIDDLEBURY
Bradford, Drummond, le .....	Re, Brewster
McNaughton, lt .....	rt Cauty
Stewart, lg .....	rg, Hor-ford
Stone, c .....	c, Lang
Young, rg .....	lg, ard
Oliver, rt .....	lt, Lynch
Foster, Merrill, re .....	le, Myrick
Shumway, Phillips, qb .....	qb, Bresnahan
Peacock, Boratis, lhb .....	rhb, Whitney
Bartlett, rhb .....	lhb, Pollard
Chapman, Cushman, fb .....	fb, Randall
Score—Bowdoin 7, Middlebury 0. Touchdown—	
Bradford. Umpire—Keegan of Pittsfield. Referee—	
Carpenter of Amherst. Head linesman—Jones of	
Middlebury. Time—Four 12-minute quarters.	

## FOOTBALL OUTLOOK ENCOURAGING

Bowdoin starts the football season with a team coached again under the Harvard system, with a fast backfield but a line weakened by the graduation of Capt. Leadbetter and the other heavy linemen. A squad of nearly thirty reported to Coach Weatherhead a week before college opened, and that number has been increased as others have returned to college. The Freshman class promises to have some good varsity material and two of the new men were taken on the Middlebury trip. There are plenty of candidates for the backfield, but there is a dearth of line material among the new men. Coach Weatherhead has worked a good team into shape for the

opening of the season and the men are expected to do well under their second year of Haughton training.

Last year's backfield remains nearly intact, Dyar being the only man lost by graduation. Capt. Shumway has been working out at quarter and also as halfback. Phillips is playing quarter again, though he is the lightest man who ever made a football letter at Bowdoin. Bartlett and Peacock both starred in the backfield last year and are showing up very well this fall. One of the most promising of the new men is Cushman, an Andover man who has been used as a halfback very successfully. Curtis and Crockett are two other freshmen who promise well in the backfield, both having had experience on the teams of large high schools. Needelman, who transferred from Maine a year ago, will be eligible for the eleven, and will doubtless appear later in the season. McConaughy will not be able to play this fall on account of a serious illness during the summer. Cobb, Boratis, Turner, Saford and Merrill are working out in the backfield and show the earmarks of varsity men. Colbath did not return to college this fall, and Nevens is at Tufts.

In the line, the ends and center hold firm, but there is a scarcity of tackles. Oliver played a star game at tackle last season, and McNaughton is also a man of experience. Chapman and Bradford are both veterans at the end positions, and Cliff Foster has returned to play end after a year's absence. The second freshman to make the trip was Drummond, the brother of three former football men, who has played on the Abbott School eleven and is out for end. The guards are Young and Kern, who are the heaviest men to replace Leadbetter and Moulton. Stone is again playing center and guard, and Small is also at center.

As the other Maine elevens have scarcely gotten into action, it is early to forecast the Maine series, but Colby and Maine will be strong contenders as usual. Coach Weatherhead is quite confident of his charges and there is a good prospect of victory in the early games of the schedule. An important game will be that with Holy Cross in Portland after the state series is over. Bowdoin has not tackled the big eleven from Worcester recently and the game will be an interesting one. Manager Blanchard has arranged a game with the eleven from Fort McKinley in Portland Harbor next week. It will be the first game of the season on Whittier Field, and while the soldiers have a strong team, it is expected that the collegians will win. The second team practiced at the field while the varsity

was away, the game with Portland High having been cancelled.

#### THE NEW MEN

Jere Abbott, Dexter; Robert Haviland Adams, Holliston, Mass.; Stanley Baker Adams, Bangor; Everett Agnew Allen, Bangor; Gordon Hewes Allen, Reading, Mass.; George Raymond Asnault, Calais; Edward Wilson Atwood, Portland; Myron Halburton Avery, North Lubec; Joseph Lynwood Badger, Pittsfield; Albert Russell Bartlett, Norway; Albion Moulton Benton, Kezar Falls; Wendell Hinds Berry, Yarmouth; Clifford Emory Blake, Pittsfield; Elmer Isaiiah Boardman, Islesboro; Henry W. Boyker, Portland; Lewis Woodbridge Brown, Skowhegan; Robert Edward Brown, Sharon, Mass.; Lisle Leroy Burns, Waterville; Charles Raymond Campbell, Somerville, Mass.; Howard Lawrence Chick, Norway; Irving Granderson Clapham, Charlestown; Leslie William Clark, Ogunquit; Robert Earle Cleaves, Portland; William Congreve, Jr., Antrim, N. H.; Willard Morse Cook, Jamaica Plain, Mass.; Kenneth Brown Coombs, Auburn; Sanford Burnham Cousins, Brewer; Kenneth Gerard Crabtree, Hancock; Philip Dyer Crockett, Everett, Mass.; Mortimer Blake Crossman, Newton Center, Mass.; Harry Lester Curtis, Topsham; William Woodside Curtis, Jr., Pawtucket, R. I.; George Hillard Bradford Cutler, Boston; Alvan A. Cushman, Brookline, Mass.; Holman Barnes Daggett, Strong; Henry Harlow Davies, Augusta; Allen Littlefield Davis, Springvale; Ralph Percy Davis, Kennebunk; Arthur Albert Demuth, Lisbon Falls; Louis Burton Dennett, Bangor; Harvey Franklin Doe, Palermo; Archie Oliver Dostie, Farmington; Forest Wilder Douglass, Bowdoinham; James S. Draper, Wayland, Mass.; Ainslee Hayden Drummond, Portland; Delmont Thurston Dunbar, Penobscot; Edward H. Elms, Dexter; Roswell Delmont Emerson, Island Falls; Ralph Emerson Eustis, Strong; Reginald Langley Flanders, Brentwood, N. H.; Francis Allen Ford, Brunswick; Newell Hamilton Foster, Newcastle; Carroll Edward Fuller, Portland; Philip Everett Goodhue, Portland; Leland Matthew Goodrich, Pittsfield; Stanley M. Gordon, Iilon, N. Y.; Plimpton Guptill, Topsham; Douglass Arno Haddock, Calais; Charles A. Haggerty, Webster, Mass.; Allen William Hall, Hall's Mill; Oliver Gray Hall, Bangor; Henry Wallace Hanson, Jr., Bath; Charles Roy Harris, Lynn, Mass.; Walter Fulton Whitmore Hay, Westbrook; Robert Townshend Dade Heaton, Paeonian Springs, Va.; Emerson H. Higgins, South Portland; Craig Stevens Houston, Guilford; George Goodwin



Houston, Guilford; Albert Edwin Hurrell, South Portland; Donald Cogswell Johnson, Putnam, Conn.; Thomas Rogers Johnson, Washington, D. C.; Burleigh S. P. Jones, Augusta; Charles Alton Jordan, Jr., Lisbon; Frederick Greenhalge Kileski, Lowell, Mass.; Chester William Kirk, Jamaica Plain, Mass.; Henry William Lamb, Portland; Frederic Knight Leach, Rockport; Clarence R. Linder, Lawrence, Mass.; Reginald Thomas Lombard, South Portland; Burchard Kilkenny Look, Strong; Percy Ridley Low, Bath; Lawrence McElwee, Houlton; John Houghton McLellan, Jr., Bath; Justin Stephen McPartland, New Haven, Conn.; Richard Kenneth McWilliams, Bangor; William Lewis Mansfield, Jonesport; Alfred Wade Marshall, Fort Fairfield; Paul Venner Mason, Guilford; Stacey Maxfield, Pittsfield; Warren Fairfield Millard, Freeport, N. Y.; Lawrence Buxton Merrill, Yarmouth; Carol Lewis Milliken, North Saco; William Henry Montgomery, Washington, D. C.; Nahum Park Moore, Rumford; Leland Harper Moses, North Gorham; Oliver Moses, 3d, Bath; Perley James Mundie, Calais; Leslie Everett Norwood, South Portland; Durrell Leighton Noyes, Winter Harbor; Edwin Clarence Palmer, Fort Fairfield; Harold Stanley Prosser, Lisbon Falls; Crosby Eaton Redman, Corinna; Cornelius Packard Rhoads, Springfield, Mass.; Avarad Leroy Richan, Rockland; Irving Trefethern Richards, South Portland; Norman Eugene Robbins, Readfield; Ezra Pike Rounds, Cornish; Thomas Bakes Rowell, Dexter; Harold Y. Saxon, Cambridge, Mass.; Arthur Sewall, 2nd, Bath; Charles Albert Skillin, Hallowell; Roger Deering Skillings, Bath; Cloyd Eldon Small, Kingfield; Mitchell Hull Smith, Gorham; Samuel Albert Smith, Paten; Paul Webster Smith, Portland; Henry Sprince, Lewiston; Harold Merle Springer, Skowhegan; William Alfred Sturgis, Portland; Walter Blake Taft, Lisbon Falls; Edgar Curtis Taylor, Derry, N. H.; Charles Leo Thebeau, Bath; Brooks Maxwell Tibbetts, Pemaquid Harbor; Frederic Guy Titcomb, Saco; Clifford Rose Tupper, Princeton; Rodney Davenport Turner, Augusta; Roland Bibber Wadsworth, Eastport; Maynard Cole Waltz, Warren; Robert Weinblatt, Bath; George Allen Wentworth, Skowhegan; David Walter White, Topsham; John Joseph Whitney, Ellsworth Falls; Tracy Sumner Wood, West Boylston, Mass.; William Gordon Wyman, Damariscotta; Carroll Everett York, Brunswick; Emerson Walter Zeitler, Collinsville, Conn.

#### SPECIAL STUDENTS

Michael J. Delehanty, Jr., Boston, Mass.; John J. Sullivan, Cambridge, Mass.; Rufus T. Tillson, Dexter; Paul C. Yonng, Westbrook.

#### ADMITTED TO UPPER CLASSES

1917—Carl S. Kuebler, Hackensack, N. J.  
 1918—Amos L. Allen, Dalton, Mass.; Norris A. Buncamper, Dutch West Indies; Abner W. Roundtree, Merle A. Wood, West Boylston, Mass.  
 1919—Fred P. Hall, Jr., Lisbon Falls; Charles E. Flynn, Cliftondale, Mass.; Harold C. Knight, East Jaffrey, N. H.; William J. Lyons, Norwich, Conn.; Merton J. McGrath, Ridlonville; George H. Casey, Portland; J. L. Cain, New York City.

#### RECEPTION TO 1920

The annual reception to the entering class was held in the Union last Thursday evening instead of in Hubbard Hall as formerly. Handbooks and identification tags were issued to all the students present, and light refreshments were served by a caterer. Marston '17 presided and suitably introduced the several speakers. President Hyde welcomed the new men and remarked that Bowdoin has been waiting one hundred and fourteen years for the present Freshmen. McConaughy '17 outlined the purposes of the A.S.B.C. and made an earnest plea for the payment of the Blanket Tax. An appeal for more football candidates was issued by Coach Weatherhead. Rev. C. W. Goodrich represented the churches of the town and welcomed the new men in their behalf. Dean Sills received a great ovation, and talked upon "The Student." Bowdoin Beata closed the evening's program.

#### REPORT OF UNION GOVERNORS

In accordance with the by-laws of the Governing Board of the Bowdoin Union, the following recapitulation of the receipts and expenditures for the year ending Sept. 1, 1916, is presented:

RECEIPTS	
Billiards and Pool .....	\$243.52
Sale of Candy .....	178.32
Sale of Tobacco .....	109.77
Expense (from all other sources) .....	21.48
Total Receipts .....	\$553.09
EXPENDITURES	
Billiards and Pool .....	\$24.53
Candy .....	138.80
Tobacco .....	94.25
Expense (all other expense) .....	193.05

Total (exclusive of attendant's wages) \$450.63  
 Attendant's Wages ..... \$237.10  
 Appropriation was made last year to meet deficit due to wages of attendants.

Approved, S. B. FURBISH,  
*Auditor.*



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## To 1920

Again this year the College opens with a Freshman class of record size. Many new faces are seen about the campus and it is only natural for those who have been here longer and who have the best interests of the College at heart to wonder what sort of men they will prove to be. While their individualism will not be lost—and fortunate it is that such is the case—yet there is bound to be in each one a development along lines laid out by generations of Bowdoin men, all with kindred ideals. Unconscious though he

may be of change, the associations formed and the determinations made during the first few weeks are going to do much toward moulding him into the man he will be after graduation. So much the more important is it then that these associations should be formed with the greatest care, that the determination to do well certain definite things should be accompanied by a wise selection of those things best suited to the capacities of the individual and most likely to strengthen and develop the best there is in him.

You have been invited, at the Y.M.C.A. reception and other occasions, to participate in the various activities. The football team needs a second team and a third team to ensure success next year. Track provides opportunity for many. The ORIENT wants earnest candidates for editorial positions. The Musical Clubs, the Dramatic Club, debating and the band must all depend for their success on new men from your class to fill the gaps caused by graduation. Competition for managerships is open to all. The many courses of the curriculum are here to be used by you for your own benefit. Good scholarship is not a thing to disdain or pass lightly over as beneath a man of the world. All these things are worth doing and are worth doing well. Fix your minds upon accomplishment of certain worthy ends and work continuously and earnestly with these ends in view. Determine to give your college the best there is in you of loyalty and service and to receive from it what it has to offer and you will soon become a true Bowdoin man, one whom the College may ever feel proud to have numbered among her sons.

## Proclamation Night

As the traditional time for Proclamation Night again draws near, we can but express a hope that the Sophomores will be allowed to carry out their program without undue interference from upper classes. The experience of the last year or two has led many to desire the abolition of the customary pasting and posting of the proclamations when accompanied by the destruction of property of the College and those unfortunate individuals who chance to room in the End chosen for a class fight. As a survival of the old time hazing, Proclamation Night is much more harmless than many things that have been abolished here or survive in other institutions and it is desirable that its observance should be left strictly to the two classes involved. Any financial loss which may then result can be charged to the offenders with much more justice than if a few Juniors or Seniors take it upon

themselves to involve their classes also. Furthermore, as a disciplinary measure, it will appear much more serious to the Freshmen if the Sophomores proclaim their regulations without interference than if upper classmen bring on a fight in the dormitories or help some members of the class to escape it entirely. Let us stand back and give the Sophomores a fair chance to prove their ability to carry out the traditional part of the evening's work without disastrous consequences.

#### BOWDOIN'S SUMMER WARRIORS

In the trenches of the Allies, on the Mexican border, at Plattsburg and on the John Paul Jones cruise, Bowdoin students were active this summer. One freshman was a British trench fighter, and two undergraduates were driving ambulances up to the firing line. On the Rio Grande, there was a Bowdoin man in the regular army and two in the militia. At Plattsburg, two Bowdoin men distinguished themselves as the best shots of the camp. Most of these students have returned, but there is still an ambulance near Verdun with a Bowdoin driver, and two of the militiamen are just returning from Texas. There were many alumni active in all these fields, many of them in high positions.

After nearly a year in the trenches in Belgium and Flanders, John J. Sullivan of Cambridge, Mass., returned to attend the Plattsburg camp, and has entered college as a special student. He was a member of the 10th Intrenching Battalion of the Royal Engineers. Three times he was carried to the hospital as a result of the gas attacks, and he has had a most intimate contact with the war. Carlton M. Pike '17 has returned after six months at the front with the ambulance corps, driving up to the trenches for wounded every evening. Harold A. Manderson '18 crossed in June after the close of college and will stay until February with the ambulance corps.

When the militia was called to the border in June, Joseph R. Sandford '18 went as corporal in the Skowhegan company of the Second Regiment, N.G.S.M. He is expected to return to college within a few days, as the college men on the border have been released for the most part. William M. Fay '19 joined the Ninth Massachusetts after it was ordered to Texas, and is now orderly in that regiment, and will also return to college shortly. The First Regiment, N.G.S.M. is organized as a part of the coast artillery corps and was not sent to Mexico. Several

Bowdoin men were members of this organization. Frederic Canavella '19 spent the summer with the regulars in Battery A of the Second Field Artillery, stationed at McAllen, Texas. He has returned for the opening of college after spending 91 days in the service.

The Plattsburg campaign at the College last spring was certainly fruitful, for there were 23 Bowdoin students in attendance and Philip M. Johnson '18 distinguished himself as the best rifleman of all the civilian soldiers. Johnson, who was champion schoolboy rifleman of the country while in Deering High School, made a score of 237 out of a possible 250, and Richard T. Schlosberg '18 stood second with a score well over 200. These men are prominent in the Bowdoin Rifle Club and will form the nucleus for a good team this year. Alden F. Head '16 was a first lieutenant, and other Bowdoin men held officers' commissions. Fred A. McConkey *ex*-'18 was wounded in the head by the ricochet of a bullet as he was leaving the rifle pits and was in the hospital as a result of the accident.

The Bowdoin men at Plattsburg were Sidney M. Brown '16, Edward C. Hawes '16, Alden F. Head '16, Lew M. Noble '16, Erik Achorn '17, Edwin H. Blanchard '17, Percy F. Crane '17, Donald W. Philbrick '17, Daniel W. True '17, Ralph E. Davison '18, Stewart N. DeMott '18, Robert Creighton '18, John R. Edwards '18, Henry C. Haskell '18, Frank D. Hazeltine '18, Lee M. Friedman '18, Philip M. Johnson '18, Fred A. McConkey *ex*-'18, William W. Blanchard '19, Jacob B. Ham '19, William F. Martin '19, John A. E. McClave '19, Justin S. McPartland '20, and John J. Sullivan, special. On the "Naval Plattsburg" cruise were John R. Edwards '18, Robert G. Albion '18, Reynold H. Brooks *ex*-'18 and Stanley B. Adams '20 on the Kearsarge and the Virginia.

The attendance at the training camps is a great increase over the previous year when Hawes '16 and Achorn '17 were the only Bowdoin men to attend. The active campaign for Plattsburg in the spring with the talks was instrumental in securing many men, but the personal missionary work of the men who attended counted for much also. The naval cruise was an experiment this year and it did not have the traditions of the year of Plattsburg but a larger representation from Bowdoin is expected next year. The faculty voted last winter that attendance at summer military training camps, together with a course of lectures on military science, count as a point toward a degree, but as yet no definite arrangements have been made for such a course.

## YOUNGEST FRESHMAN

Conspicuous in the Freshman class this year is Allen L. Davis of Springvale, who is only fifteen years old and sports himself in knickerbockers. Young Davis is undoubtedly one of the youngest men who ever entered Bowdoin. He has a good record behind him and is taking both Latin and Mathematics. He went to the district schools in Springvale at the age of six, and at eleven to the Sanford High School from which he was graduated last June. His father is a graduate of the Bowdoin Medical School in the class of 1901. Davis accounts for his rapid advance in the schools to the interest of two instructors who are now teaching in Maine colleges.

## DEAN SILLS NOMINATED FOR SENATOR

The Democratic party honored Dean Sills this summer with the nomination for United States senator to take the place of the late Senator Burleigh. Dean Sills received a vote well up with those of the other members of his party in the state election, but the Republicans carried all the major offices. The Dean spent an active summer speaking around the state and Bowdoin men watched with interest his entrance into big politics.

## PHI THETA UPSILON OPENS HOUSE

Phi Theta Upsilon has taken the Tontine Hotel on Pleasant street at Commencement time and has had it remodelled for use as a fraternity house. The new house accommodates about twenty men and has good facilities for a dining club. A corporation was formed for the purchase of the hotel with Harvey D. Miller '17 as president.

## RIFLE CLUB NOTES

On this evening at 7.30 o'clock in the Union will be held the annual business meeting of the Bowdoin College Rifle Club. The business to be considered is the treasurer's report (appended) for the last year, election of new officers, budget for coming year, ammunition distribution according to score on all ranges and employment of a student armorer. The analysis of expenditures for past year follows:

## RECEIPTS

Dues .....	\$94.00
Rebate from Rock Island Arsenal .....	.74
Sale of empty shells .....	4.50

Total receipts .....

## EXPENDITURES

Printing and correspondence .....	\$19.10
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Equipment (oil, cloth, books, etc.) .....	16.64
Transportation charges on ammunition...	19.87
Dues to National Rifle Association .....	5.00

Total .....	\$60.61
Cash on hand Sept. 21st .....	\$38.63
The proposed budget for next year follows:	

## RECEIPTS

Dues (100 members) .....	\$100.00
Bal. from last year .....	38.63
Possible sale of shells .....	5.00

Total approximate income .....

## EXPENDITURES

Correspondence and printing .....	\$20.00
Equipment .....	25.00
Fitting of gun room .....	12.00
Transportation of ammunition .....	20.00
Dues to National Rifle Association ..	5.00
Payment of Armorer .....	20.00

Total .....

Balance (approximate) for next year ..

Plattsburg experience shows that of 100 men of average ability the following distribution of scores will be made:

Class 1	50 men will shoot	32 or less.
Class 2	30 men will shoot	32 to 38
Class 3	12 men will shoot	38 to 42
Class 4	8 men will shoot	42 to 50

It is proposed to allow men of Class 1, 120 rounds of ammunition free of charge, men of Class 2, 200 rounds, charging  $\frac{1}{2}$  cent per round above 120 rounds, men of class 3, 300 rounds charging  $\frac{1}{2}$  cent per round above 120 rounds, and men of Class 4, 400 rounds charging  $\frac{1}{2}$  cent per round above 120 rounds. These total as follows:

Class 1	6000 rounds	No income
Class 2	6000 rounds	\$12.00 income
Class 3	3600 rounds	\$10.80 income
Class 4	3200 rounds	\$11.20 income

Grand total of ammunition will be 18,800 rounds of which 16,500 are on hand. This leaves to be purchased 2,300 rounds at a cost of \$18.00 per thousand or \$41.40. The total income from sale of extra ammunition by above schedule will be \$34.00. The deficit of \$7.40 will be met by the club.

The good work on the ranges done by Bowdoin men at Plattsburg makes us hopeful of a winning team in any shoots we may enter. The club is particularly anxious to have a full enrollment of 100 men and members of all classes who have any interest in the sport are urged to join.

## MANDERSON '18 WRITES FROM FRANCE

The following letter has been received from Manderson '18 who has been with the Ambulance Corps since July:

Paris, August 27, 1916

Dear Mr. Langley,

At the front. How wonderful that seems to American ears! Yet I have not heard a gun today. Instead the swallows are chirping gaily and every once in a while the sun breaks thru the clouds and one is very happy to be here. It is however at present almost like a pleasure trip. There is almost nothing to do for the sector at which I am stationed is very quiet now.

We are in a beautiful mountain country, scenery the most wonderful I have ever seen and roads most terrible too. The natives here all speak German and since I have forgotten all the German I ever had and have put myself to studying French, it is most difficult to talk to them.

I am on my first duty at a hospital near the lines. The "Postes de Secour" evacuate to this hospital and these are evacuated to the base hospitals, that is, provided there are any to evacuate.

Day before yesterday we arrived at our base and began operations. We have twenty ambulances in the section, a section chief and a French second lieutenant and several more French mechanics, cooks and clerks. All in all we have quite an establishment. Our base is in a very small village in which we are the only military organization at present. Our second lieutenant is mayor and chief of the fire department. I think he likes the fire department the better for there is rarely anything to do and the firemen have wonderfully brilliant uniforms. I imagine that they will soon become expert in quick changes of costume.

Immediately after our arrival, almost as if a spectacle staged for our amusement, an aeroplane came flying up the valley. It did not come far however for the French batteries opened fire. It is very interesting to watch such a bombardment. You can see little puffs of smoke break out here and there, and a few seconds later you hear the boom of the breaking shell. The idea is to have the shell break quite a little above the machine and then the fragments fall on it having an added force, besides that of the explosion, from gravity. The people beneath never enjoy these bombardments because whatever goes up must come down and if it comes down on you, you have very little chance of surviving. The people, inhabitants of the zone directly behind the line have become accustomed to the war. They go about their business as if it were peace

time and no danger were near. It is very amusing to watch them clumb along in their wooden sabots. No wonder they are not a graceful people, this peasant class, for nothing more awkward could be invented. Yet they are wonderful from a point of efficiency. They keep the feet warm and dry. As near as I can find out they are used much as rubbers are at home, and they never wear out. Hereafter have great respect for American shoes. They are superior and cheaper than any others on earth. I have taken mine to a cobbler's to have some hob nails put in. He regarded them with open eyes and exclaimed, "Ces sont Amerique," and then charged me an enormous price because I wore such expensive shoes.

Concerning our work, at present I can tell you little. We have, without doubt, the most difficult driving on the whole front. The mountain roads are very steep and very ill-kept. Impossible for any ambulance except a Ford. The supplies even in many cases are carried on mule-back for wagons are very difficult to manage. The first day, two of our cars were stuck on steep grades and had to be pulled out by horses and the other had to have several men to push in order to start it. It is necessary to become accustomed to the roads. After one knows the road, he recognizes every opportunity to stop and let the motor cool. A cool motor is the prime necessity of mountain climbing.

Here at the hospital (in the village) where I am staying, there are many French. You should hear me babble away in unintelligible sounds! The French are always polite and answer something that I cannot understand.

I have just had my dinner or "soupe." I eat with the soldiers. The food is very eatable. A new trick here that I am getting on to is the manner of washing dishes. After you have finished your meal you empty your remnants into the soup dish from which all are supposed to have been served. (I have yet to find out if it is used again.) Then you take a piece of bread and carefully clean your plate, knife, fork, spoon and dipper. You would be surprised what a good job can be done. A meal usually consists of a soup, very thin and watery, meat and a vegetable, some wine which I don't know how to spell the name of. I will spell it according to sound, "peena." This is the name the soldiers have given it.

This afternoon I am going to play a little bridge with the officers here. It is raining again, always it seems to rain here. I think there is something wrong with this climate.

I have been given one of those steel helmets



which you see in the pictures, also a gas mask. I wonder if I will ever make use of it.

Well I have written nearly two pages. I must close. Don't be too disgusted with your world over there. It appears in brilliant colors from here. Above all, don't believe all that you hear about the war and our work. Although much of it is very dangerous, the writers are very apt to overdo it.

Yours truly,  
HAROLD A. MANDERSON.

#### Y. M. C. A. NOTES

On Sept. 15th, 16th and 17th an intercollegiate conference was held at Lake Cobbosseecontee Winthrop, Maine and Bowdoin was represented by five men. The object of the conference was to present to the members of the cabinets of the Christian Associations of Bates, Bowdoin, Colby and University of Maine, a well defined statement of the problems which will have to be met in the coming year. The Y.M.C.A. office which was formerly in Hubbard Hall has been transferred to Bannister Hall and will be open in the very near future at regular hours.

The speakers now engaged for public meetings of the coming year are Dean Homer Albers of Boston University Law School, Dean Edgar A. Burton of Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Eugene R. Kelley, Commissioner of Communicable Diseases in Massachusetts. An effort is being made to add one or two prominent business men and bankers to this list.

Night school classes will be started directly after Topsham Fair and will continue until Christmas. All men who are interested and who are willing to give two nights a week for a month and a half are urged to correspond with Mr. Langley.

A club for boys of from ten to fifteen years of age will be organized in the vestry of the Church on the Hill in the near future. Funds have been raised for the payment of a physical director and a suitable schedule of instruction will be followed. Two or three men who are willing to give their time for one or two evenings a month are also needed for this work.

#### LOWER CLASS ELECTIONS

The Sophomores elected P. S. Turner, president; McClave, vice-president; Mahoney, secretary-treasurer; White, baseball captain, and McCarthy, baseball manager. Yesterday noon the Freshmen elected Flanders, president, and Crockett, baseball manager. They will choose the others this noon.

## On the Campus

Jones '18 will ring the Chapel bell this year. The Bowdoin Club is starting up with full numbers.

A number of hang-over chapel warnings from last year were issued Saturday.

The treasurer's office was redecorated during the summer and the new finish is a light brown.

Woodworth '18 was called home last week when his brother was killed in a railroad accident.

Jacob ex-'18 has taken advantage of extra credits and become Jacob '17, and Davison has done the same.

The high cost of living has not affected Freshmen caps which are only \$.75 this year as compared with \$1.00 last.

The large registration has been noticeable in chapel where even the Seniors have been compelled to sit in the aisle.

A new wireless set is being installed on the campus. The aerial stretches from a pole near the observatory to the south spire of the chapel.

The personnel of the Ibis this year will be Crosby, president; Ross, secretary; Achorn, Blanchard, Miller, Philbrick, Rickard, Shumway and White.

There will be adjourns Saturday morning for the baseball game. The Student Council met yesterday noon to decide upon the nature of the class rush to follow the game.

The call for Freshmen to try out for assistant track manager has been sent out, and candidates will report to Manager Walker. Atwood '20 and Hall '20 were the first to report.

The first game of the Freshman-Sophomore baseball series will be played on the Delta Saturday morning before the rush. Men must have taken a physical examination before they will be permitted to play.

Cutler '20, a member of the cross-country squad, has been running all summer with the B.A.A. While he has hitherto confined himself to the shorter distances, he expects to get much out of the cross country.

All Freshmen who wish to try out for the ORIENT board will meet at the Theta Delt house this evening at 7:30 for assignments. It is customary to pick three Freshmen for the board in March and one Sophomore in October.

Some excellent moving pictures of the war will be given in Bath Friday evening for the benefit of the Red Cross. A good attendance from the College is hoped for, though the Sophomores will probably stay in Brunswick for Proclamation Night.

The fraternity stewards this year are Alpha Delta Phi, True '17; Psi Upsilon, Johnson '18; Delta Kappa Epsilon, Savage '18; Theta Delta Chi, Phillips '17; Zeta Psi, King '17; Delta Upsilon, Bachelder '18, Kappa Sigma, Oliver '17; Beta Theta Pi, Sampson '17.

Band rehearsals will begin this week. Freshmen and other new men who can play any band instrument should see J. L. Scott '18, the manager, or McIntire '17, the leader. Old members need not be told to watch the bulletin board for the date of the first rehearsal.

The following men have been chosen as assistants in the various courses: Latin, Bartlett '17; German, Norton '18 and Caldwell '19; French, Stanley '18; English, Blanchard '17; Economics, Bagley '18; History, Oliver '17 and Jacob '18; Chemistry, Little '17; Psychology, Little '17; Biology, Wyman '18.

A wooden bridge spanning a brook at the foot of Standpipe Hill on the cross-country course was washed away by the spring freshets, and the harriers have been unable to get up Standpipe Hill, so that nearly half the course has been cut off, and the track management is planning the construction of a new bridge.

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## FRESHMEN!

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## BOWDOIN 2, FORT MCKINLEY 0

A safety in the first minute of play gave Bowdoin a 2 to 0 victory over Fort McKinley in a very evenly matched game on Whittier Field Saturday afternoon. The weight of the soldiers with the clever playing of Apple and Embleton in the backfield offset the Harvard tactics of the collegians and the spectacular work of Capt. Shumway behind a light line which held well. The ball remained near the center of the field throughout the game and neither goal was threatened.

The only score came when McMillan tried to run back Phillips' kick-off. He fumbled and was forced to run behind the army goal line. The forward pass was tried frequently by both sides, the Bowdoin men being more successful in their attempts. In line plunging the weight of the soldiers with their 180 pound line was an important factor, but Bowdoin got the ball on downs four times, while the fort team held but once. Phillips punted frequently for Bowdoin and made one unsuccessful attempt at a field goal.

After the safety in the first quarter, McKinley pushed the ball back to the center of the field with heavy line plunging in which Apple figured prominently. Embleton punted 30 yards to Shumway, and McKinley was penalized for interfering with a fair catch. Shumway executed a 20 yard forward pass to Bradford. Phillips attempted a field goal and McKinley rushed the ball back to the center of the field and punted. Bowdoin punted back to Apple, who brought the ball back 15 yards. Apple made a spectacular forward pass to Donovan, netting 25 yards, and the quarter closed with the ball on Bowdoin's 15-yard line.

Shumway ran the ball 15 yards through the army line at the beginning of the second quarter, and blocked the soldier's attempt at a forward pass. A second pass went wild, and McMillan punted to Shumway. Bowdoin worked a forward pass and then punted for a touchback. Donovan blocked a forward pass and ran the ball to Bowdoin's 15-yard line. Punting carried it to the middle of the field, and the last minutes of play were spent in line plunging in which Turner and Phillips were prominent.

There was little open play in the third quarter. Bowdoin held the soldiers twice for downs, and Turner carried the ball through the visitor's line for several gains. Waite intercepted a Bowdoin pass and ran the ball back 20 yards, and the quarter closed with two brilliant end runs by Embleton leaving the ball in the center of the field.



**CAPT. SHUMWAY**

**Who Played Stellar Game at Halfback against Soldiers**

Bowdoin had hopes of a touchdown in the last quarter after Phillips punted to the soldiers' 20 yard line, and Bowdoin held the McKinley team for downs. Peacock, who had been kept out of the game up to this time with a sprained knee,



was sent in as left halfback in place of Shumway who relieved Phillips at quarter. Two Bowdoin forward passes failed and McKinley held the collegians for downs for the first time. The game closed with the ball on Bowdoin's 45 yard line.

Bowdoin did not reveal anything sensational in the game, though a crack halfback was discovered in Turner who gave up cross-country for football this fall. The line held better than in the Middlebury game. The only Freshman to play was Drummond who was at left end for a few minutes in the last quarter. The return of Peacock in the backfield will strengthen the offensive in the coming games.

The summary:

BOWDOIN	FT. MCKINLEY
Bradford, Drummond, Merrill, le	re, Sanders
McNaughton, lt	rt, Donovan
Stewart, lg	rg, Kelley
Stone, c	c, Zink
Small, Young, rg	lg, Capshaw
Oliver, rt	lt, Waschburger
Chapman, Foster, re	le, McMillan, Zimmerman
Phillips, Shumway, qb	qb, Embleton
Shumway, Peacock, lhb	rhb, Bahr, Sutton
Sprague, Bartlett, rhb	lhb, Wade
Turner, fb	fb, Apple

Score: Bowdoin, 2; Fort McKinley, 0. Safety by McMillan of Fort McKinley. Umpire, A. S. Macreadie of Portland; referee, H. C. McGrath of Boston College; head linesman, J. D. Hopper of Auburn. Time, four 10 minute periods.

#### FOOTBALL DANCE DOUBTFUL

It is probable that the Football Dance, which has been an institution for the past few years, will give way to a big College dance at Christmas. The Student Council has not yet acted on the matter but as the football dances have usually incurred a deficit, and since there has been a demand for a gymnasium dance instead of house dances at Christmas, the change is likely. Several of the fraternities hold Thanksgiving house dances, and these follow too closely the dances after the Maine or Bates games. The matter will be decided shortly by the Student Council.

#### FIRST CLASS GAME CLOSE

The kidnapping of Freshman ball players was carried out again this year, and again the Freshmen won in spite of it. The game was a close one, the Sophomores taking advantage of Lannin's wildness in the second inning to score five runs. After that the Freshmen tightened up and the game closed with an 8 to 7 score. Lan-

nin, who played at Belfast during the past year, was the twirler for the Freshmen, and Smethurst, who pitched for 1918 two years ago, was in the box for the Sophomores.

The kidnapped Freshmen were Coombs and Haggerty. Adams was also spirited away, but escaped in time to play first base for the latter part of the game. McElwee, catching for the Freshmen, kept up family traditions as captain of the team. Lannin showed up well as a pitcher and secured two hits and a run. Cook, at third base, showed up well. McClave and McCarthy were effective on the Sophomore team. There will be another game or two in the series.

The score:

	FRESHMEN						
	ab	r	bh	po	a	e	
Cook, 3rd	2	3	0	4	0	1	
Delehanty, cf	1	1	1	0	0	0	
Houston, cf	4	0	2	0	1	0	
McElwee, c	3	1	0	5	0	0	
Lannin, p	3	1	2	0	5	0	
Drummond, 2nd	3	1	0	0	0	1	
Haggerty, 2nd	1	0	1	1	1	0	
Prosser, lf	4	0	1	3	0	0	
Zeitler, 1st	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Adams, 1st	4	0	1	3	0	0	
Dostie, rf	3	1	1	2	0	1	
A. Hall, ss	3	0	0	2	2	0	
Total	31	8	9	21	9	3	

	SOPHOMORES						
	ab	r	bh	po	a	e	
Finn, ss	4	1	3	3	2	2	
F. Hall, 1st	4	1	0	6	0	0	
McPherson, 3rd	4	1	2	4	1	1	
P. Doherty, lf	4	0	3	2	0	0	
Thomas, c	3	0	0	2	2	0	
Boratis, cf	4	0	0	1	0	1	
McCarthy, rf	3	2	1	2	0	0	
McClave, 2nd	4	2	3	1	2	2	
Smethurst, p	4	0	1	0	4	1	
Total	34	7	13	21	11	7	
Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
FRESHMEN	2	0	0	1	1	3	1—8
SOPHOMORES	0	5	1	0	0	1	1—7

Two base hit, P. Doherty. Three base hits, Lannin, McClave. Sacrifice hit, A. Hall. Stolen bases, Cook (2), McElwee, Drummond, Prosser. Left on bases, Freshmen 9, Sophomores 8. First base on balls, off Lannin 2, off Smethurst 4. Hit by pitcher, Cook. Struck out, by Lannin 5, by Smethurst 2. Passed balls, McElwee. Time, 1.38. Umpires, Phillips '17, Bradford '17.

## CROSS-COUNTRY WITH COLBY

A dual cross-country race with Colby, staged so that the finish will come between the halves of the Colby-Bowdoin football game on Whittier Field, has been arranged by Manager Walker and ratified by the Athletic Council. Colby has four veterans in Captain Mark Thompson '17, Paul Thompson '18, Maddox '19, and Tooker '19, and there is a squad of 15 or 20 under Coach Arthur Smith, ex U. of M. There will be no race with Wesleyan this year. This is the first time in years that Bowdoin has had individual track relations with Colby. Letters will be awarded if Bowdoin wins.

The fall schedule for the track men will be as follows:

Oct. 12. Handicap cross-country race.

Oct. 21. Dual race, Colby vs. Bowdoin, Brunswick.

Oct. 25-6. Fall Interclass Track Meet.

Nov. 3. Maine intercollegiate cross-country race, Lewiston.

Nov. 10. N.E.I.C.A.A. cross-country race, Boston.

There will be a meeting of the Track Club in the Union at seven tomorrow evening. Among the speakers will be Coach Magee, Captain Sampson, Manager Marston, Savage, and Crosby. All track aspirants are invited to be present at this time.

The cross-country squad is small this year although there appears to be some excellent material in the Freshman class. Robert E. Brown '20 has been leading the pack during the first week of practice. He ran for the Dorchester A. A. during the summer, and took several prizes in the three, five, and ten mile races. Durrell E. Noyes '20, who ran for Bowdoin last fall, and Robert E. Cleaves '20, are two Hebron stars who will be leaders among the state harriers this fall. Cleaves finished third in the race between Hebron and the 1919 team last fall, being the first of the prep school men to finish. He and Noyes have been running well together.

Fillmore '17 has been appointed captain of the cross-country squad, and he has been prominent among the veterans. The absence of Crosby and Turner will be felt keenly, for they have figured prominently during the past year or two. Crosby underwent a serious operation on his leg during the summer and will probably have to give up track work for good, while Turner, who was in track training from September to June during his Freshman year, has gone out for football this fall. The veteran candidates for the squad include Crane '17, Hildreth '18, Blanchard '19, and

Mosher '19.

A beginners' squad will be organized under Coach Magee during the coming week, and he is hoping for a goodly number not only of Freshmen, but of upper classmen as well, for at Maine the entire freshman class has gone out for either track or football, and many upperclassmen are trying out there for the first time. Those who wish to try out will report to Coach Magee at Whittier Field this afternoon, for the inter-class track meet will be held in two weeks. The Bowdoin Freshmen may race Hebron in cross-country as usual this year, and if the '20 team wins, class numerals will be awarded. There have been no time trials as yet in the cross-country. The stream at the foot of Standpipe Hill is being forded until a new bridge is constructed.

## NEW MEN ON SCRUB ELEVENS

There have been three full teams at work on Whittier Field under Coach Weatherhead this week. The working squad numbers around 40, and new men were coming out all last week. Trainer Magee has had the third team as his personal charges, and they have had occasional games with the first and second elevens. Among the new Freshmen who have reported are Rhoads, Haughton and Sturgis, who are out for line positions, and Wyman, a backfield candidate. All of them are of good, heavy build, and may be worked into good material. Peacock was laid out with a sprained knee in Tuesday's practice, but the injury will not affect him for the later games of the season. The practice still continues of a secret nature as the coach does not wish to have the players distracted by onlookers. The next two games will be with teams of a caliber about equal to Bowdoin, and the chances of victory are about even. The line has been holding better in the later practice than at the start. The next home game will not come until Oct. 21, when Colby will be on Whittier Field.

## FRESHMEN ELECT

The election for the Freshman officers was held last week at two meetings. Marston '17 conducted the first meeting until the president was chosen. The officers were elected as follows: President, Reginald L. Flanders; vice-president, Joseph L. Badger; secretary and treasurer, Crosby E. Redman; manager of baseball, Philip D. Crockett; manager of football, Sanford B. Cousins.

The baseball squad elected Lawrence McElwee as captain, and the football squad will elect a captain later.

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## More Men Out for Track

The athletic policy of Bowdoin College is supposed to be the training and exercising of a large number of men, even though many of them may never stand the least show of becoming more than fair at their specialty, in contrast to the policy adopted by some institutions, of building up a team around one or two stars and then neglecting the physical welfare of the average student. When the star leaves, the team is broken up and there are no capable substitutes to take his place, whereas Coach Magee has proven the correct-

ness of his policy, in track at least, by the slow but sure progress of his teams from last toward first place in the Maine meets.

No organized sport offers more opportunity for a large number of men without previous experience than track. Our cross-country and relay teams the last few years have been composed of men chosen by close competition from a large number of candidates. Yet captain and coach report a great lack of men for the cross-country team and the fall track meet. It is only about two weeks to the interclass meet, at which time new men should discover what they are best suited for and then train for it this winter. In this way only can we start work promptly in the spring.

The cross-country team is about to commence its schedule and a much larger squad is desired. Coach Magee is glad to devote all the time possible to any man and invites every Freshman, in particular, to give him a trial. Our Freshman teams have been quite successful, lately, and the record class this fall should be no exception. This week is the time to begin training. Studies need not suffer if men will only plan their work with some degree of system and the outdoor work certainly will benefit all. Report now and help make possible a winning team next spring.

## CAMPUS STATUE FOR CHAMBERLAIN

John S. Barrows of Boston, in a recent letter to the Portland papers, advocates the erection of four statues to honor the memory of General Joshua Lawrence Chamberlain, for many years a resident of Brunswick and a former president of Bowdoin College. One of these statues, Mr. Barrows suggests, should be erected on the Bowdoin College campus. The others should be located on Little Round Top, at Augusta and at Portland.

He said in part:

It was 88 years ago, Sept. 8, that the light of life opened to Joshua Chamberlain, and during the years which followed until the recent date when his earthly career ended, he took and gave much. He took from his State a broad education, a training for the pulpit or the platform; he gave his precept and example in an academic circle, and from the quiet shades of the whispering pines of Bowdoin College he went out to aid in keeping whole the Union. In this endeavor he gave himself willingly, and though suffering the trial of wounds in battle, he kept on until on July 2, 1863, he was an important factor in turning the tide of the Confederate advance at Gettysburg, and gave much toward the ultimate victory

—the "high-water mark of the Rebellion."

Again in his own State he received honor from his fellow citizens and gave in return a successful administration as the chief executive of the State.

With such a record, inseparably associated with the history of the State of Maine, its educational and civic institutions, and with the military history of the nation, it is surprising that at this time no stone has been raised either in the capitol city where he took his high degree in citizenship, the classic groves of Brunswick, or the beautiful Forest City, where he spent many years in inconspicuous federal service in memory of Maine's most illustrious soldier and highly useful citizen. Now the anniversary of his birth is at hand, and it is fitting time to begin such movements as will result in a proper memorial to Gen. Chamberlain.

How suitable would be a portrait statue of Gen. Chamberlain in his young manhood, in Augusta, representing him in the uniform of the colonel of the 20th Maine infantry, in which garb he stood on Little Round Top and swung his thin blue line around until it demoralized the Confederate line which was creeping up in the endeavor of getting possession of that key-point to the battle-ground. The moment was one of those sudden opportunities for a man to be either great or small and Joshua L. Chamberlain elected to do the great act and let his regiment, small as it was, take an unusual position, unsupported, and repel successfully the attack that was intended to overwhelm his too extended line. That one act turned the tide on July 2, and showed the Confederates that in spite of the hammering they might give to Sickles' force, that they could not get by sturdy Maine in the rocks and trees of Little Round Top.

Far more appropriate would it be that a dismounted figure of Chamberlain should be placed on the slopes, among the trees, where he did his duty than in the cemetery where he is not and where he was not.

Maine is slow in remembering to bronze her honored hero. More years are not necessary to give ripeness to the reputation of those she should honor. The history of her citizens has been honorable. The reputation of Maine in the councils of the nation was high at one time, and it can not be believed that she "has lost the breed of noble blood."

The statue of Maine's great poet-son graces a square in Portland; from the heights in another part of the same city the figure of Reed has been re-produced for future citizens to look upon and learn from. It would be becoming and proper

that a statue of Gen. Joshua Lawrence Chamberlain, Maine's greatest soldier, should be erected in the same city to be an inspiration and a lesson to youth, how a spirit of consecration can make a man mightier than his immediate environment. Whoever expected the shy, quiet and studious professor in Bowdoin would shine at the battle-front? No extreme could have been greater.

Who expected that one commanding officer of a decimated regiment of infantry would be the one to save a position, and contribute to the success of his army?

Who expected that this same clergyman-professor-soldier would be the governor of his State?

In all these instances Joshua Lawrence Chamberlain outgrew his environment, and made himself greater than his immediate circumstances seemed to indicate was possible.

Eighty-eight years ago General Chamberlain was born. It is time now to restore his likeness to his State and among his friends.

#### A VERSATILE CLASS

The class of 1920 has much to offer this year. There is a Cook, a Cutler, a Draper, a Fuller, three Smiths, a Taylor and a Turner, while an Abbott and a Kirk are on hand to attend to their spiritual welfare. They are supplied with Stone and Wood—including Ellms and a Crabtree; while Hay has also taken a place among the commodities. Good material for the biological department is furnished by a Badger, a Chick, a Doe and a Lamb, with a Haddock and a Leach for early experimentation.

With two Moses in their midst the new men should find scant need to employ their Hone to sharpen up dulled wits, especially as such celebrities as Burns and Congreve, Marshall, Taft and Millikin have graced their numbers with their presence. Athletics should be improved in the Sprince this season and Jack Magee should find small difficulty in making a high jumper of Springer.

The Freshmen have two different Browns and plain White, from which to choose their class colors, but should Kileskie and Crossman quarrel over the matter they have the opportunity of going to Flanders to settle their dispute, or can as an option hire one of the two Halls to settle the subject by arbitration.

The Ford, the Saxon and the Emerson that are running about the campus are bound to be rivals, but the class is fortunately prepared to furnish them with Rhoads upon which to settle the matter of supremacy.—*Kennebec Journal*.



## THE DIRECTORY

For the Freshmen it is often a rather difficult task to locate the heads of the different organizations. Although the "Freshman Bible" helps to some extent, it does not give full information in this line. So for their benefit the following directory is printed:

## STUDENT COUNCIL

President, L. H. Marston, 23 North Maine.  
Vice-President, N. U. McConaughy, 23 North Winthrop.

Secretary, C. H. Crosby, Deke House.

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Manager, J. L. Scott, 18 Cumberland Street.  
thorp.

## SOPHS SCORE WITH MEDICINE BALL

Except for the fact that the men piled up so rapidly that the referee's whistle was blown continually, the medicine ball rush last Saturday morning was quite successful. There were no serious injuries, and the rush was in the nature of a Rugby game with ten times as many players as necessary. There was too little open play and the ball usually was covered with a pile of Freshmen and Sophomores as soon as they had charged together. The Sophomores rushed the ball over their opponent's goal once, and the Freshmen were driving them back toward their own base when the time was called. This is the first time the medicine ball rush has been tried here.

Marston '17 was master of ceremonies.

## POLICE STOP PROC PARADE

Red fire and the intervention of the police in a wild parade down Maine Street made distinctive 1919's Proclamation Night. The usual dormitory scenes were enacted though the Freshmen were more or less a minus quantity. The proclamations themselves were unusually clever, and the Freshmen were impressed with the cleverness if not the ferocity of the Sophomores. President Hyde requested that morning in chapel that there be no pasting of proclamations upon the property of the townsfolk. After the Freshmen had been pasted, however, the second year men formed a parade and headed for the town. At the railroad tracks half the police force halted the class and warned them against pasting proclamations, and the pails of green paste were left behind. The marchers advanced in good spirits to the Cabot Mill, where someone climbed a telephone pole and placed a proclamation. An improvised police patrol immediately drove up and the proclamations were confiscated. The Sophomores were warned to go no further, and they retired to the railroad station to waylay returning Freshmen. The night was a most economical one, the principal expense being for iodine and red fire.

## NEW GOVERNMENT COURSE POPULAR

Seldom in recent years has a course been introduced into Bowdoin which has been so popular with the students as the new government course. For years past, government has been offered to the upper classes but not to the enter-

ing class. This year it was decided to offer a course which would give to the student entering College, good training in the rudiments of State and National government.

That the move has been a success is shown by the fact that at present there are 111 enrolled. Professor Hormell has charge of the course. It is his aim, to take up during the coming year, not only the State and National government and the political and social forces acting back of them, but also to follow up the coming presidential election, to study the political organization of the two parties, and the different methods of securing votes.

#### SHORT DELAY ON INFIRMARY

The new infirmary, the money for which was given to Bowdoin last spring by Dr. Thomas U. Coe, is well under way. The contract has been let to a Boston firm, which hopes to finish the building by the first of March. It will be a three story brick edifice with dimensions of 58x34. At present the work is being held up owing to some particulars in the plans. It is expected that this will be settled by the first of next week. The plans will be published in the ORIENT after these points are settled.

#### Y. M. C. A. NOTES

This evening at 7 o'clock, at the Zete House, will be held the first cabinet meeting of the year. The subjects for discussion are:

I. Organization of a club for Brunswick boys between the ages of 10 and 15 years.

II. The plans for the night school.

III. The membership campaign among the Freshman class.

IV. The coöperation between the town churches and the College in student church membership.

There will be a rare opportunity for a course in Bible study this year under Professor Henry Johnson. The classes will be held Sunday noons in the north gallery of the Church on the Hill, and will be of short duration. It is open to Freshmen and to upperclassmen and a record enrollment is expected, for the course promises to be more valuable than the fraternity discussion groups formerly in vogue. Professor Johnson has offered to furnish the text books and there will be no outside reading.

#### RIFLE CLUB ELECTS

At a meeting of the Rifle Club held last Tuesday evening, in the Union, the following officers were elected: Schlossberg '18, president; Prof. Miles E. Langley, secretary and treasurer; Hill

'19, assistant secretary and treasurer. It was voted to appoint and pay a student armorer who shall be responsible for the care of the guns. The budget for the coming year as presented in the last ORIENT was approved. Applications for membership and renewal of membership were sent to the student body during the past week.

#### DEBATING COUNCIL TO MEET THURSDAY

The first meeting of the Debating Council will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 in the Debating Room of the Library. At this meeting a vice-president and assistant manager are to be elected, an amendment to the constitution considered and plans for the debating season discussed. Students in English 5 and 6, members of Inter-collegiate Debating teams and members (except alternates) of Bradbury and Inter-class teams are members of the Council.

#### TRACK MANAGER'S REPORT

SEASON 1915-16

##### RECEIPTS

Balance (1914-15) .....	\$ 16.03
Loans .....	300.00
Sweaters .....	18.86
B.A.A. Guarantee .....	40.00
Hartford Guarantee .....	35.00
Sophomore-Freshman Meet .....	7.00
Bates Meet .....	36.00
Refunds .....	8.50
B.I.I.M. ....	379.39
M.I.T. Guarantee .....	82.80
M.I.C.A.A. Dividend .....	236.23
Interscholastic Meet .....	65.25

Total ..... \$1,338.06

From A.S.B.C. .... 1,225.00

Total Receipts ..... \$2,563.06

##### EXPENDITURES

Old Accounts .....	\$ 378.20
Telephone .....	17.47
Mileage .....	22.50
Equipment .....	30.01
Coach .....	600.00
Sweaters .....	18.86
B.A.A. ....	98.05
B.I.I.M. ....	261.48
Hartford Trip .....	156.20
Loans .....	52.00
Typewriter .....	20.00
Association Dues .....	40.00
Incidentals .....	41.93
Guarantees .....	10.00
Interclass Meet .....	81.50
M.I.C.A.A. Cross-Country .....	84.50

Sophomore-Freshman Meet .....	9.48
M.I.T. Meet .....	239.70
N.E.I.C.A.A. Meet .....	212.11
I.C.A.A.A.A. Meet .....	47.15
Cuts .....	19.00
1919 Relay .....	10.00
Bates Meet .....	23.50

Total .....	\$2,473.64
Balance (in bank) .....	89.42

Total .....	\$2,563.06
Respectfully submitted,	

LAWRENCE H. MARSTON.

Sept. 27, 1916.

Sept. 29, 1916

Audited by F. N. WHITTIER.

## On the Campus

The dome of the observatory received a new coat of paint last week.

The first regular meeting of the Union Governors will be held next Monday afternoon.

The Freshman class now totals 143—the largest number ever entering Bowdoin College at one time.

The *Bugle* board met last evening at the Zete House to consider the work for the year and to report on the progress made during the summer.

Most of the Freshmen have had their physical examinations by this time, and the few who have not made appointments are requested to see Cobb '17 at once.

The Freshmen candidates for the ORIENT board who reported on the first evening are Abbott, Asnault, Congreve, Cousins, Goodrich, Gordon, Hall, Hanson, Rounds, M. H. Smith and Wadsworth.

The date for Initiation Night has been set as Oct. 11. All fraternities will hold their initiations at the same time. Larger delegations than usual have been pledged up on account of the size of the entering class.

During the summer the Longfellow collection at the library was catalogued. This collection, by the way, is the largest and most complete set of Longfellow's works in existence and contains nearly all the first editions of his works.

A dozen or more Freshmen have not yet procured Freshman caps. This custom of wearing caps is traditional here at Bowdoin and unless each Freshman gets a cap in the near future, the committee on customs will deal with him.

The few remaining 1917 *Bugles* will be sold off this week at the reduced rate of \$1.00. All Freshmen should get a copy and thereby become

better acquainted with all the various activities of the College. Copies may be secured of Crosby '17.

The oval track on Whittier Field has been shortened a few feet to comply with the new rulings that the track be measured a foot from the edge board instead of a foot and a half as formerly. Under the new ruling the track was just a few feet too long.

The first outdoor rally of the season was held on the Art Building steps Thursday evening. The Freshmen were out in full force to learn the cheers, and there were plenty of others to give volume to the yells. Captain Sampson of the track team was the leader.

The Medical School will open Oct. 12. The first two years of the course are given in Brunswick, and the last two in Portland at the Medical School building on Chadwick Street, and in the hospitals there. Ten men were graduated last spring. There will be a new gym corps this year.

A piece of the Whittier Field fence has been rebuilt. The fence was originally built twenty years ago and in some places was badly in need of repair. The policy of the College is to repair the fence piece by piece as the funds are available. This year a strip about seventy feet long along the Pine Street side of the field has been put into condition. The class of 1919 immolated the old gates on its Ivy night fire last year.

## Alumni Notes

'69—Under the heading "Who's Who at Pitt," the *Pitt Weekly* recently published a sketch of Marshmann Edward Wadsworth. Dr. Wadsworth prepared for Bowdoin by taking the preparatory course at Bates College and the Lewiston Falls Academy. When sixteen years old, Dr. Wadsworth began teaching and throughout his preparatory school and college career, he taught from one to three terms per year, keeping up with his class and graduating with good rank in 1869, although his actual residence at Bowdoin amounted to only 42 weeks and three days.

Dr. Wadsworth received the degree of A.M. from Bowdoin in 1872 and from Harvard two years later. In 1879 he was granted the degree of Ph.D. by Harvard. Since his graduation, Dr. Wadsworth has been an instructor at the Boston Dental College, Harvard University, Colby, the School of Mines at Penn. State College, and the School of Mines at Pittsburgh University. From 1887 to 1899, he was President of the Michigan College of Mines. In 1912, he retired from active work under the Carnegie Foundation, and has

since been Emeritus Dean and Professor of Mining Geology in the Pittsburgh School of Mines.

'92—Professor Henry Crosby Emery formerly of Yale and head of the Tariff Commission under Taft, has just gone to Russia to travel extensively as the representative of the Guarantee Trust Company of New York. He will, while there, investigate industrial and economic conditions of the country.

'77—William Perry, former referee in bankruptcy for Essex County, died in Salem, September 22nd. He was born in Salem, Mass., July 23, 1857, and after graduating from the Salem high school he entered Bowdoin and graduated with the class of 1877. He later entered the Harvard Law School and completed his studies there in 1881.

He began his business career in the office of his father, with the firm of Perry and Endicott, attorneys. Mr. Perry soon established himself in the law business in Salem, with A. T. White as his partner. In 1893 he was appointed clerk of the first district court of Essex County by Governor Russell, and in 1902, Judge Lowell of the district court appointed him referee in bankruptcy. He was successively reappointed and held his office until a month before his death, when at his request, another man was chosen to fill the unexpired term. Mr. Perry was a member of the State common council one term, and once was a candidate for the State Legislature. He was also a member of the Salem Club.

The death of his wife, in 1913, was a severe shock to him, and he never fully recovered from its effects.

'97—M. Sumner Coggan was recently appointed to act as chairman of the commission to revise the state laws of Massachusetts. The appointment was made by Governor McCall and the commission is to submit its report in 1919.

'06—Robie R. Stevens is to be in Petrograd for several years to start a branch of the National City Bank of New York.

'10—Rev. Alfred W. Stone, of Bangor, Maine, who was, till the earlier part of the summer, assistant minister of the Eliot Congregational Church of Newton, Mass., has taken up active duties as the minister of the West Concord Union Church of Concord Junction, Mass. He supplemented his work at Bowdoin with theological studies at Bangor, at the Andover Theological Seminary, where he received his degree, and later at Harvard. The church in which he is now officiating is the only Protestant organization in West Concord.

'12—Walter Greenleaf has resigned his position as an instructor in the high school at Biddeford to accept a similar position in the Princeton, N. J., High School.

'13—Paul Douglas who has just received his Doctor's degree from Columbia has been appointed instructor in economics in the University of Illinois.

'14—Philip Fox is now an instructor in the Cranston High School of Providence, R. I.

'15—Francis McKenney has been elected a member of the faculty of Portland high school. He will have charge of the course in debating, and will also coach the track team.

'15—Word has been received of the marriage of Daniel Rodick to Miss Laura Cronkhite. The couple, who were married about the first of September, went to New York for their wedding trip.

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## **FRESHMEN!**

The 1917 BUGLE will make an attractive beginning to your library of Bowdoin Annuals which you will acquire during your years in college. There are a few copies yet available which can be had at the reduced price of \$1.00 from Mgr. C. H. Crosby at the Deke House.

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## AMHERST GAME CLOSE

A touchdown by Bradford in the last minutes of play gave Bowdoin a 12 to 10 victory over Amherst on the latter's field Saturday. Bowdoin was superior in line rushing and two touchdowns came in this way, while Amherst's scoring came from the brilliant work of their captain, Goodrich, who not only broke away twice for 65 yards and 55 yards, one run resulting in a touchdown, but he also kicked a field goal which put the Massachusetts team ahead until the Bowdoin touchdown in the last quarter.

The Bowdoin line had a little advantage in weight and made the most of it, working well on both defensive and offensive. Behind the line Peacock and Turner played fast games. Peacock was not used during the whole game as his knee is not altogether in condition yet, but he pushed the ball through for one touchdown in the first quarter, and he was put in again in the last of the game and helped toward the other score. Turner is proving to be a fast back, and made substantial gains for the White. Shumway and Phillips alternated at quarter and Shumway also played halfback. Rhoades, a Freshman, played his first varsity game Saturday, and held his position at left tackle well. Sprague is a halfback of great promise.

The most spectacular features of the game were the two runs of the Amherst captain. The first run was for 65 yards with a clear field for a touchdown, and in the second he was downed after 55 yards when another touchdown for Amherst looked threatening. This was the first game of the season for Amherst, the opening of college having been delayed by the infantile paralysis scare. Eighteen Bowdoin men made the trip.

The lineup:

BOWDOIN	AMHERST
Foster, Bradford, le	le, Perkins
Rhoades, McNaughton, lt	lt, Hobart
Small, lg	lg, Starkey, Smith, Bennyan
Stone, c	c, Schmid
Young, Stewart, rg	rg, Woodward
Oliver, rt	rt, Winnayer
Chapman, Drummond, re	re, Plough
Shumway, Phillips, qb	qb, Bodenphill
Sprague, lhb	lhb, Goodrich
Bartlett, Peacock, Shumway, rhb	Davis, Knouth

Peacock, Turner, fb ..... fb, Melcher  
Touchdowns. Peacock, Goodrich, Bradford.  
Goals from touchdown, Widmayer. Goals from field, Goodrich. Time, 12 minute periods. Referee, Murphy, Harvard. Umpire, Haggood, Brown. Head linesman, Burke, Worcester.

## RECALLED TO THE BORDER

That the Mexican question is still a vital one was brought home last week when Canavello '19, after spending but one week in College, was recalled to service on the border. Canavello is a member of the regulars, having served some time before coming to College, and all of last summer with Battery A of the Second Field Artillery stationed at McAllen, Texas. He came North with the other contingent of college men who were released, and expected to stay here throughout the College year, but a hitch in the proceedings caused his recall and consequent loss of the year at College.

Sandford '18, another Bowdoin man who has spent the summer on the border, is coming home with the Second Maine and will resume his studies here shortly. He has been acting as corporal in the Skowhegan Company during his stay in Texas.

## WESLEYAN HAS STRONG ELEVEN

The team that the Bowdoin eleven will meet at Middletown next Saturday, will, according to present appearances, give the White a strenuous tussle. At this writing, Wesleyan has played but one game this season in which it defeated the heavy eleven from the Connecticut Agricultural College. Wesleyan seems rather weak on her interference; but in her first game she ripped off several successful and ground gaining forward passes. The line is fairly strong on the defensive.

Wesleyan seems to have difficulty in getting a reliable quarterback. Lawson, who was the most likely man for the job, injured his shoulder and will be out of the game for the rest of the season. Coach Kenan will have to choose his quarter from some of the less experienced men. As to the half-back positions, Harmon at left is playing a strong line-bucking game, and Webb, right half-back is a fast man on end runs. Cap-

tain Deetjen is also a speedy man, although he was not in the game long enough to show his real ability.

The following is a list of the men who played in the Connecticut Agricultural game and who will probably figure in the game with Bowdoin next Saturday: Capt. Deetjen, and Harmon in the back field; Boswell, Peck, Talbot and Eaton in the line—all veterans; Sutter, Froidevaux and Wilbur, three of last year's subs; Webb, Rorer, Bean, Ritchie, Langdon, and Brown. In general the game should be a close one, with the White's heavier line casting the odds slightly in our favor.

### THE PLEDGES

#### ALPHA DELTA PHI

*From 1920*

Robert Edward Brown of Sharon, Mass.  
Robert Earle Cleaves of Portland  
Holman Barnes Daggett of Strong  
Roswell Delmont Emerson of Island Falls  
John Houghton of Bath  
John Houghton McLellan, Jr. of Bath  
Richard Kenneth McWilliams of Bangor  
Nahum Park Morse of Rumford  
Oliver Moses, 3rd of Bath  
Arthur Sewall, 2nd of Bath  
William Alfred Sturgis of Portland  
John J. Sullivan of Cambridge, Mass.

#### PSI UPSILON

*From 1918*

Amos Lawrence Allen of Dalton, Mass.  
*From 1919*  
Harold Charles Knight of East Jaffrey, N. H.  
*From 1920*

George Raymond Asnault of Calais  
Edward Wilson Atwood of Portland  
Myron Halburton Avery of North Lubec  
Joseph Lynwood Badger of Pittsfield  
Henry Harlow Davies of Augusta  
Louis Burton Dennett of Bangor  
Harvey Franklin Doe of Palermo  
Leland Matthew Goodrich of Pittsfield  
Henry Wallace Hanson, Jr. of Bath  
Frederick Greenhalge Kileski of Lowell, Mass.  
Henry William Lamb of Portland  
Frederic Knight Leach of Rockport  
Perley James Mundie of Calais  
Crosby Eaton Redman of Corinna

#### DELTA KAPPA EPSILON

*From 1920*

Stanley Baker Adams of Bangor  
Lewis Woodbridge Brown of Skowhegan  
Ainslee Hayden Drummond of Portland  
Robert Townshend Dade Heaton of Paeonian Springs, Va.

Craig Stevens Houston of Guilford  
George Goodwin Houston of Guilford  
Lawrence McElwee of Houlton  
Cornelius Packard Rhoads of Springfield, Mass.

Rodney Davenport Turner of Augusta  
Roland Bibber Wadsworth of Eastport

#### THETA DELTA CHI

*From 1919*

William John Lyons of Norwich, Conn.

*From 1920*

Robert Haviland Adams of Holliston, Mass.  
Albert Russell Bartlett of Norway  
Elmer Isaiah Boardman of Islesboro  
Howard Lawrence Chick of Norway  
Willard Morse Cook of Jamaica Plain, Mass.  
Sanford Burnham Cousins of Brewer  
Philip Dyer Crockett of Everett, Mass.  
William Woodside Curtis, Jr. of Pawtucket, R. I.

Reginald Langley Flanders of Brentwood, N. H.

Justin Stephen McPartland of New Haven, Conn.

Ezra Pike Rounds of Cornish  
Edward Curtis Taylor of Derry, N. H.

#### ZETA PSI

*From 1919*

Ellsworth Wright Holbrook of Wiscasset

*From 1920*

Lawrence Cate of Lowell, Mass.  
Newell Hamilton Foster of Newcastle  
Philip Everett Goodhue of Portland  
Charles Alphonso Haggerty of Webster, Mass.  
Oliver Gray Hall of Bangor  
Walter Fulton Whittimore Hay of Westbrook  
Paul Webster Smith of Portland  
George Allen Wentworth of Skowhegan  
William Gordon Wyman of Damariscotta  
Emerson Walter Zeitler of Collinsville, Conn.

#### DELTA UPSILON

*From 1920*

Leslie William Clark of Ogunquit  
Mortimer Blake Crossman of Newton Center, Mass.

Stanley Gordon of Ilion, N. Y.  
Allan William Hall of Hall's Mill  
Donald Coggeswall Johnson of Putnam, Conn.  
Paul Venner Mason of Guilford  
Charles Albert Skillin of Hallowell  
Tracy Sumner Wood of West Boylston, Mass.

#### KAPPA SIGMA

*From 1919*

Charles E. Flynn of Cliftondale, Mass.  
Fred P. Hall, Jr. of Lisbon Falls.

*From 1920*

Everett Agnew Allen of Bangor  
 Wendall Hinds Berry of Yarmouth  
 William Congreve, Jr. of Antrim, N. H.  
 Emerson H. Higgins of South Portland  
 Thomas H. Lannin of Stoneham, Mass.  
 Leland Harper Moses of North Gorham  
 Avar Leroy Richan of Rockland  
 Mitchell Hull Smith of Rockham  
 John Joseph Whitney of Ellsworth Falls

## BETA THETA PI

*From 1917*

Ernest Fuller of Union

*From 1919*

George H. Casey of Portland

*From 1920*

Jere Abbott of Dexter  
 Gordon Hewes Allen of Reading, Mass.  
 Lisle Leroy Burns of Waterville  
 Michael J. Delhanty, Jr. of Boston, Mass.  
 Edward H. Ellms of Ripley  
 Burleigh S. P. Jones of Augusta  
 Thomas Baker Rowell of Dexter

## BETA CHI

*From 1920*

Albert Edwin Hurrell of South Portland  
 Alfred Wade Marshall of Fort Fairfield  
 Stacy Maxfield of Pittsfield  
 Leslie Everett Norwood of South Portland  
 Edwin Clarence Palmer of Fort Fairfield  
 Charles Leo Thebeau of Bath  
 Paul C. Young of Dallas, Tex.

## PHI THETA UPSILON

*From 1919*

Orson Leland Berry of Topsham  
 Philip Emery Foss of Norway

*From 1920*

Irving Granderson Clapham of Portland  
 Archie Oliver Dostie of Farmington  
 Lloyd Elden Small of Kingfield  
 Harold Stanley Prosser of Lisbon Falls  
 Maynard Cole Walsh of Warren  
 David Walter White of Topsham

## PIERRE PATELIN FOR IVY PLAY

The play which the Masque and Gown has selected for presentation this year is "Pierre Patelin," translated from its original French and given with great success last season by the Washington Square Players of New York, who will take it on the road this winter. The play is a farce of the old French type, full of fun, and the costumes are very original and quaint. Since it is a totally different sort of play from those given the last three or four years, it is thought that the departure will be not only welcome but

completely successful. There are only five characters in "Pierre Patelin," including one female part, which fact will make competition interestingly keen. However, owing to the brevity of this play, there will be another presented in conjunction with it, the name of which cannot be given out as yet; so if a candidate does not make a part in "Pierre Patelin," there is still a good chance for him to get one in the other play.

Manager Colter has some excellent trips in view, which are of course, still in abeyance, but which give every evidence of "coming through" in good time. The fact that "Pierre Patelin" is to be the play presented by us has interested several of the large cities, inasmuch as its only previous performance in this country has been that of the Washington Square Players. Some of the prospective trips are to Portland, probably early in December; to Boston under the auspices of the Boston Art Club; to Worcester, Mass., and Bangor, Gardiner and Farmington, and there will possibly be others arranged later. This play will also be presented at Ivy next June.

Mrs. Arthur Brown, the coach of the Masque and Gown, will read parts of "Pierre Patelin" next Friday at 7.30 p. m. in Banister Hall, and all who want to try out for the play should come then and get some idea of the nature of the parts. After that, a man wishing to try a certain part, or for several if he so chooses, will, upon application to the manager, be given a typewritten page or two from the play which he will either read or act at the trials next Monday evening. It is better to give your trial from memory, as the coach and judges are better able to size up your qualifications. We want as many men as possible at both the reading and the trials. Don't forget the dates!!

L. A. B.

## CHEMICALS

Ever since the great war in Europe began we have heard much about the shortage of chemicals in this country. It will be interesting to Bowdoin men to know that the chemical needs of Bowdoin are well cared for. Enough are on hand to satisfy present demands of the department and orders for larger amounts are placed in reliable companies. There are only two or three chemicals which cannot be obtained. Experiments in which these are used are replaced by much similar and equally helpful ones. It is admitted that if the war keeps on at its present fury for a year and a half longer there will be some cause for worry concerning the chemical supply.



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## Why the Drop in Football?

The first reports from Whittier Field as the college year opened were quite encouraging. We found three full teams practicing daily and doing good, hard work under Coach Weatherhead. As the Freshmen arrived, fresh candidates for the eleven appeared and there seemed to be a wealth of material from which to pick the team.

Now captain, coach and managers are complaining that there are scarcely enough men out to form two elevens. A few are on the hospital list; the great majority, we are forced to conclude, have quit. Football is not a parlor game. Sore muscles and hard bumps are to be expected. Some are physically unfit for the game, but there are others who have gone out with a shout,

expecting some gentle sport and when a real test of gameness came, they have failed. We may have no right to tell any individual man that he ought to go out for football. One or two perhaps cannot keep up in their courses, though their failure to do so is due more to a lack of systematic planning and concentration than to the time involved. One or two others may have acceptable excuses for not appearing in uniform each afternoon, but for the greater part, sheer laziness or else an attack of cold feet is the trouble.

It is hard for a man to see himself relegated day after day to the third team, without a hope of actually playing in a game this year, but for the sake of his College, if for no other reason, he should stick it out, do his best and be ready to take the place of some injured man or form the nucleus of the team next year. Many a game is lost for lack of capable substitutes; incalculable benefit can be derived from the presence of a large squad on the field and a third team ready for scrimmage. For the sake of your captain and his faithful team-mates in their attempt to develop a successful team this year, all you who have the least inclination or adaptation for the game, however slight, get out for practice and stay out. If you are no longer wanted, the coach will tell you so; until then do your best, regularly and faithfully, and your reward will be immediate in an increased sense of devotion and usefulness to your College.

## A Bates Game Dance

As the question of a College dance after the last home football game comes up before the Student Council again this year, the prospects of its abolition seem better than ever. The arguments against holding a dance at that time were quite fully stated in an ORIENT editorial a year ago, and the opposition of players, alumni, sub-freshmen and many of the students combined was almost unanimous. The superior advantages of Christmas week as a time for a College dance seemed conclusive. Until some new argument is presented in its favor, we believe the football dance should be abolished and hope those interested in the matter will express their opinions to the Council that there may be no question as to the best course to pursue.

## Communications

### To the Student Body:

Last week "Dave" Porter '06, an International Y. M. C. A. Secretary, was here in the course of a tour of the American colleges. He is conduct-

ing a campaign to support the work to be done in the detention camps of the countries at war, where millions of prisoners are to spend the coming winter. A meeting was held here and several undergraduates discussed the possibility of rousing the Bowdoin student body to do its part. In the course of the discussion these facts came out: that the Christian Association is pledged to raise funds this year to help Dr. Grenfell's work in Labrador, work which is terribly handicapped by the withdrawal of support in Great Britain; that it is extremely difficult to raise money on the Bowdoin campus (not a recent discovery!); that the Christian Association, if it can raise money for one worthy object, must rest satisfied. In other words, the consensus of opinion among several men prominent in the student body, themselves enthusiastic over the project, was that "it wouldn't go."

I hereby enter the ORIENT columns for the first time since becoming an alumnus, to take exception to this conclusion. Mr. Porter came here from Wesleyan, where they raised \$1,000. A letter from him reached me Saturday, saying, "The Colby Christian Association Cabinet decided last night to tackle the war fund and gave (average) \$8.50 each at cabinet meeting. The Y. W. C. A. Cabinet gave this morning \$199 and it looks like a full \$1,000 before sunset."

Well, what about Bowdoin? Without argument, everybody on the campus will admit that the cause for which the money is being raised deserves our support. Hundreds of thousands of men are cooped up behind barbed wire—in one camp 74,000 men—under conditions which make for physical, mental, and moral degeneration. The Russian Government admits that it has not enough blankets for its own armies. What then will become of their alien prisoners, thousands of them in desolate camps in Siberia? And beyond the physical suffering is the mental and moral danger in herding thousands of men together and keeping them inactive for months on end. The International Y. M. C. A. has gone into these camps and tried, as far as limited funds permit, to relieve conditions. It will do more this winter if you and I give our dollars.

But will we give them? What is wrong with us? Are we indifferent, or simply tight-fisted? Other colleges give—give until it is no longer easy, but a sacrifice. If we can not take the lead, can we not at least follow? When the need is there and other colleges look at it squarely and answer it, can we side-step? These men who need our help are not simply Germans, Russians, English and so on. They are boys and young men—

college men in many cases. Yet we go calmly to classes day after day. We are too far away to care, perhaps, but the greatest shame of the war is going to fall on those who saw fellows like themselves go down and who wouldn't give one of their precious dollars to help.

Perhaps I am too bitter. It is hard to think of the war rationally. But most of us are too indifferent to what is going on over there. We go on in our little narrow circle of thought, getting tremendously stirred up over "Proc night" and our hectic rushing season. We laugh at the Freshmen because they fail to pass a "war exam," and most of us do not know and do not care whether Verdun falls or not, as long as the Red Sox took the first game. In the meantime, the college men of other nations are fighting, suffering, and dying by the thousands, or rotting in filthy prison camps.

What is wrong on the campus? Are we incapable of real enthusiasms—big, broad-minded ones? Are we tight-fisted, and is the organization that asks us for money to become obnoxious? Is it true that the Bowdoin Christian Association cannot raise money for this and other worthy objects, and that it can not count on the support of the student body? Is it true that we can not do what other colleges do?

I say "no" to these questions. What do you say?

I have used the ORIENT columns with the hope that the student body may start thinking, talking,—perhaps, even, giving.

AUSTIN H. MACCORMICK '15.

## SECOND GAME A TIE

Long after the lights shone on the campus and while night enshrouded the Delta so that neither the fielders nor the batter could see the ball, the Sophomores and Freshmen battled for supremacy last Wednesday afternoon. Finally after Butterfield slid across the plate with two out, tying the score, Umpire Humphrey called the game after 4½ innings of play.

The game was a see-saw affair, first the Freshmen holding the lead then the Sophomores. The inability of the Freshman catcher, Combs, to hold the shots of Lannin cost the Freshies a couple of tallies at the outset, but by bunching their hits in the first and third frames, they managed to hold their own.

Lannin, besides driving in two tallies and scoring himself with a home run drive, pitched a masterly game and easily starred for the Freshmen.

Thomas with a perfect batting and fielding

average for the day was a bulwark of strength behind the bat and caught Butterfield in fine style.

## SOPHOMORES

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Finn, ss	2	2	1	1	1	0
Hall, 1st	2	0	0	2	0	1
McPherson, 3rd	2	0	0	1	1	0
Thomas, c	3	2	1	4	0	0
Doherty, cf	3	1	1	1	0	0
McClave, 2nd	2	0	0	3	0	1
Smith, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
McCarthy, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Butterfield, p	3	1	1	0	1	0

Total 22 6 4 12 3 2

## FRESHMEN

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Cook, 2nd, ss	2	1	1	2	1	0
McElwee, ss, c	2	2	1	4	1	0
Delehanty, cf	2	0	0	2	0	1
Lannin, p	1	2	1	0	0	0
Adams, 1st	2	0	1	4	0	0
Hall, 3rd	2	0	1	0	0	1
Mason, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Houston, rf	2	0	0	0	0	1
Coombs, c	2	1	1	2	0	2

Total 17 6 6 14\* 2 5

Innings

Sophomores 2 0 2 1 1—6

Freshmen 2 0 4 0 x—6

Two base hit, Adams. Home run, Lannin. Hits—Off Lannin 4, off Butterfield 6. Sacrifice hit, Hall. Sacrifice fly, McPherson. Stolen bases, Finn, Thomas 2, Doherty, Butterfield. First base on balls, off Lannin 4, off Butterfield 2. Struck out by Lannin 8, Butterfield 4. Passed balls, Coombs. Time, 1.30. Umpires, Woodman '18, Humphrey '18.

\*2 men out in 5th.

## SIX OR NINE GAMES IN STATE SERIES

A meeting of the Maine Baseball Managers was held at Waterville at Colby College, for the business of drawing up the Maine schedule. The question of a two or three game schedule was brought up and no definite decision was reached. The Bowdoin Faculty and the Bates Athletic Council had previously voted against a three game schedule, while Colby and Maine were in favor of a three game schedule. The argument for the two game schedule is that with a three game schedule Bowdoin cannot have satisfactory relations with out of state teams. Bowdoin and Bates both offered to arrange their out of state

games in conjunction with Maine and Colby so that they could get teams at less expense. Another meeting will be held in the near future.

The managers were:

V. E. Abbott, Maine.

John Everett, Colby.

R. E. Purinton, Bates.

F. D. MacCormick, Bowdoin.

## ATHLETIC COUNCIL TREASURER'S REPORT

SEASON OF 1915-1916.

## RECEIPTS

A.S.B.C. for Football	\$1,400 00
A.S.B.C. for Baseball	1,100 00
A.S.B.C. for Track	1,225 00
A.S.B.C. for Tennis	175 00
A.S.B.C. for Fencing	15 00
Balance 1914-15	902 64
Football Fund	775 86
Loan (1914-15) Paid by Track Dept. (Football Fund)	250 00
Tennis Association	4 75
Total	\$5,848 25

## EXPENDITURES

Football Manager	\$1,400 00
Baseball Manager	1,100 00
Track Manager	1,225 00
Tennis Manager	175 00
Fencing Manager	15 00
Hockey Rink	16 00
Athletic Certificates	22 75
Football Manager from Football Fund	822 83
Loan (1915-16) to Track Dept. from Football Fund	250 00
Loan to Baseball Dept. "Football"	100 00
Balance on Deposit	721 67
Total	\$5,848 25

NOTE: The Track Department owes the Athletic Council \$150.00 on account of money loaned during season of 1914-15. This sum with unpaid loan of Track Department during season of 1915-16 makes a total of \$350.00 owed to the Athletic Council by the Track Department.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL NIXON,

Treasurer of the Athletic Council.

Sept. 1, 1916.

Audited and found correct.

F. N. WHITTIER,

Auditor.

October 5, 1916.

## NEW BOWDIN SONG

Bowdoin's Arctic traditions are brought out in the new song written by "Bob" Coffin '15, who is now a Rhodes Scholar in Oxford, and set to music by Professor Burnett. The music is weird and fascinating, and the song promises to be a popular one with the student body.

## I.

Who's here today to fight, to fight?  
The White to lower never,  
The Polar Bear will do and dare  
For Bowdoin forever.

## CHORUS

Hark to the mighty roar,  
Down from the Arctic shore  
The Bear—Woof! Woof!  
Polar Bear—Woof! Woof!  
Rah! Rah! for the Bear  
The Bowdoin Bear.

## II.

Does Bowdoin claim a name, a fame,  
Then what can Bruin give her?  
His coat as bright as Arctic white  
From Bowdoin's defender.

## III.

Why does the foe go down, go down?  
Why face our mascot never?  
From snowy pole the echoes roll  
For Bowdoin forever.

## BACK FROM THE BIG LEAGUE

Leland S. McElwee '16, who has been playing with the Philadelphia Athletics this summer is back on the campus for a few days. Just to show us how he did it, "Mac" pitched for the pick-up team that played Bath Saturday on the Delta and whaled out a home run.

McElwee joined the Philadelphia team just after graduation and has played practically all summer. His work with the stick was particularly good, his batting average being high throughout. As yet he has not decided what he will do this winter, and although he has an offer to play ball again next summer, he doubts if he will accept, as he says that it hardly pays a college man to play ball a few years before entering his life work unless he can pull the salary of a Ty Cobb. "Mac" will be around the campus a few days, at least until after initiation.

## PLATTSBURG CREDIT

The men who attended Plattsburg last summer, by presenting their certificate of attendance to the Dean, will receive credit this year for a one semester course or a one year course in Physical Training.

The question of credit for the future has been left to the Recording Committee to report later on to the Faculty, but since no satisfactory arrangements can be made for military instruction at the College, it is doubtful if any academic credit can be given for attendance at military training camps in the future.

## ATHLETIC BUILDING FLOOR LEVELLED

For some time past it has been evident that a recrowning of the floor was advisable. This has, however, been necessarily delayed because of lack of funds. Owing to the fact that many delayed subscriptions have been paid this year, it has been possible to have this work done in a thorough fashion. The levels were made by Professor Langley and the work is already under way. The new clay covering will prove a great help in the winter track work.

## INFIRMARY PROGRESSING WELL

The Infirmary has already risen above the foundation stage, and anyone who will take a short walk back of the Gymnasium will get a good idea of the size of the building. The work began on August 10, and has been progressing well under the contractors, F. A. Rumery & Co. of Portland. The building is of brick, similar to that of the Gymnasium. The supervising architect is Felix A. Burton '07.

## GOOD BAND MATERIAL

About 24 candidates responded to the call for band men. The material this year is uncommonly good and Manager Scott prophesies a first class band. New music has been procured and a genuine interest aroused. The band made its first appearance at the game with Fort McKinley, and it will make the trip to Orono.

## FIRST UNION MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Union Governors was held last Monday. A report of the business transacted during September was given by Professor Langley.

Several matters were discussed concerning the government of the Union, but nothing of importance was taken up.



### BERT MORRILL TO COACH HARVARD

Dr. Berton C. Morrill, Bowdoin ex-1910, will assist in coaching the Harvard field event men the coming year. He was coach at Bowdoin during his college course, and was at Bates a year. Last year he had charge of the Purdue track team. The Crimson coaching staff will now contain three coaches, Pooch Donovan for the sprinters as in former years, while the field men will report to Dr. Morrill and Ellery Clark '96.

The addition to the Harvard coaching staff was caused by the fact that there have been such poor weight men on the Harvard teams the past few years. This year graduation has taken away even the few good weight throwers and jumpers that the Crimson had, and the problem before the two coaches is a hard one. The Crimson will begin work immediately for the fall, some of the candidates having already reported. During the fall the sprinters will report from 2.30 to 3.30 to Pooch Donovan, while the field event candidates will report to the other two coaches the following hour, their practice being held behind the stadium.

### CALENDAR

Oct.

11. Interclass cross-country race.  
Fraternity initiations.
12. Columbus Day—College holiday.
13. Masque and Gown reading 7.30, Banister Hall.
14. Bowdoin vs. Wesleyan at Middletown.  
Bowdoin 2nd vs. Hebron at Hebron.  
Medical School opens.
15. College Preacher—Dean Brown of Yale.
21. Bowdoin vs. Colby, Whittier Field.  
Football and cross-country.
- 25-6. Fall Interclass Track Meet.

### With the Faculty

At the house-warming of the Brunswick Dramatic Club last Thursday and Friday evenings, a play was presented in which Professors Hormell, Nixon, Davis and Evans took prominent parts.

Professor Johnson is at Dartmouth this week representing Bowdoin at the inauguration of Ernest M. Hopkins as President of the Hanover institution.

Professor Files was the chairman of the big Good Roads Convention held in Augusta last week. This was one of the most important meetings for the discussion of good road problems in the history of the state, and it is probable that automobilists in particular will notice the good re-

sults of the meeting. Professor Flies has been prominent in the good roads movement.

Professor Bell spoke before the Bowdoin Club of Boston at their October meeting last week.

Professor Bell spoke before the Bowdoin Club of Boston last Friday night.

Professor Allen Johnson of Yale, formerly of the Bowdoin history department left last week for Bryn Mawr, Pa., where he is to spend a year's leave of absence. Professor Johnson spends his summers at MacMahan Island, and this year he passed two weeks in Brunswick before returning.

### On the Campus

Cushman '20 and Cane, special, have left College.

The bridge on the cross-country course has been rebuilt.

Niven '16 and Roper '18 have returned to College recently.

The betting is about even on the outcome of the world's series.

The annual Topsham Fair this week with Triangle still in the running.

The Track Club held its annual fall meeting last evening at the Union.

A new coating of dirt is being placed on the floor of the Athletic Building.

Crosby '17 took examinations for the Rhodes Scholarship at Augusta last week.

A number of students went to Boston Saturday and took in the first game of the World's Series.

Nearly 70 men are out for the Glee Club. From these about twenty will be picked for the trips.

An informal poll of the faculty shows that it is about evenly divided in its stand for Hughes or Wilson.

The Student Council will decide, soon after Initiative Night as to the advisability of holding a Football Dance.

The Annie Talbot Cole lecturer this year will be Professor William Lyon Phelps of the Department of English at Yale.

A flag for Memorial Hall has recently been presented to the College by Edgar O. Achorn '81, who has made several similar presentations in the past.

Buncamper '18 has just accepted the pastorate of the North Deering Congregational Church. He will carry on the work together with his regular college studies.

Cate '20 who caught for the Freshmen in the third game of the Freshman-Sophomore series, was the Massachusetts All-Interscholastic catcher. He comes from Thayer Academy.

The supply of the Catalogue Number of the Bulletin is exhausted. Any upper classman who has a copy in fair condition will assist the Dean by returning it to his office for further use.

The Board of Managers held a short meeting in the managers' room in the Gymnasium. The question of unpaid blanket taxes was brought up. Definite action as to delinquents will be taken later.

Campbell '17 returned from California last Friday, and was in football uniform on Whittier Field Friday and Saturday. He played in a number of the games last season, and will be a strong candidate for the line in the coming games.

The number of new Greeks this year surpasses anything in past years. The nationals have taken in 80 Freshmen, and the delegations of the locals swell this number to 93, and then there are several pledges among the upper classmen.

A Wilson and Marshall Club was organized Wednesday evening with Prof. Kenneth C. M. Sills as president, Joseph P. Dolan, vice-president, and Ithamer M. McKenney, secretary and treasurer. The club has a membership of 79.

### **Alumni Notes**

To John W. Frost of the class of '04, we are indebted for the following list of Bowdoin Alumni who are at present on the border with the National Guard:

Daniel C. Munro, (1903), 1st Lt., 1st Cav., N. G., N. Y.

John W. Frost, (1904), 1st Lt., 47th Inf., N. G., N. Y.

James G. Finn, (1905), 1st Lt., 69th Inf., N. G., N. Y.

James D. Merriman, (1894), 2nd Lt., 12th Inf., N. G., N. Y.

Stanley W. Pierce (1910), Corp., 1st Cav., N. G., N. Y.

Phillip R. Shorey, (1907), Pvt., 1st Cav., N. G., N. Y.

'95 Work has been recently begun on the new Congregational church in Gardiner, Maine; the plans for which building have been drawn by the pastor, Rev. Langdon Quimby, D.D. Not only are these plans, which are very minute and require exceptionally delicate draughtsmanship, the product of the pastor, but the construction will be under his direct supervision. The type of architecture in which the building is constructed

is unique in this section, inasmuch as it is pure mission in style and rigid adherence to this form will be practised throughout.

'09—Dr. Oramel H. Stanley and Miss Sylvia B. Hacker of Brunswick were married at the home of the bride, Sept. 27. The service was performed by President Hyde. Immediately after the ceremony the bride and groom left for Washington, D. C., where Dr. Stanley is connected with the medical corps of the army. He graduated from the Medical School in 1912, and supplemented his work there with a year in the Maine General Hospital at Portland. Before being transferred to Washington, he was at the Essex County Hospital at Cedar Grove, N. J.

'13—Word has been received of the wedding of Mr. Verd R. Leavitt and Miss Harriet E. Rice of Hartford, Conn. The ushers were: Harrison Robinson '11, Harrison '12, Heman A. White '12, and Charles R. Bull '13. Mr. Leavitt is manager of the investment security office of Bertram, Griscom & Co., of Hartford.

'16—Abraham S. Shwartz left recently for Manila, P. I., where he is to be in the employ of the Pacific Commercial Company for several years.

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## **FRESHMEN!**

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The 1917 BUGLE will make an attractive beginning to your library of Bowdoin Annuals which you will acquire during your years in college. There are a few copies yet available which can be had at the reduced price of \$1.00 from Mgr. C. H. Crosby at the Deke House.

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## STATE SERIES NEXT

With Bowdoin against Colby and Bates against Maine Saturday, the state championship series will get under way. Early predictions are naturally uncertain, but Colby seems to have the strongest of the four teams, having much of its strength resting in the captain, Eddie Cawley who is the fastest back in the state. He was used for only a few minutes against the soldiers Saturday and will be in the pink of condition for the opening game. Colby has many veterans, and the early scores indicate a team that works well.

Bowdoin should show up well against the other two colleges and has a good chance to take second place. Maine has suffered a severe relapse from its last year's championship strength, and the game with Bates should be fairly even. If the injuries of last Saturday do not prove serious, the chances of Bowdoin for second place, and even possibly for first, look good. Seldom has a Bowdoin eleven in recent years gone through the first four games undefeated, and though the team is light and has many new men, the chapel bell may ring two or three times.

## COLLEGE DANCE POSTPONED

At the meeting of the Student Council last week it was decided to postpone the College dance until after the football season. It was suggested that it be held either Thanksgiving or Christmas week. No definite decision will be made until later.

## FIVE DOLLARS TO SEE TOPSHAM FAIR

Attempting to elude the gate keepers at the Topsham Fair Thursday, eleven students, most of them Freshmen, were apprehended and fined five dollars each. There is a state law which provides that anyone attempting to enter a fair ground without paying admission shall be fined five dollars, and the fair officials are empowered to collect the money. A similar thing occurred last year, when several students were caught. This year, however, instead of climbing the fence, the students boldly attempted to enter by the main gate, one of their number engaging the official in conversation while the rest passed in. There may be a legal battle according to one of the victims.

## STILL UNDEFEATED

Though Bowdoin had a lead of 19 to 6 at the beginning of the last quarter, Wesleyan was sufficiently active in that period to tie the score. The game was a spectacular one, both captains, Shumway and Deetjen, showing up well in the backfield. Bowdoin often seemed to have the better of the game, but severe penalties and several injuries together with Wesleyan's final spurt prevented a victory.

Long end runs were made by both sides and the offensive of both teams was superior to the defense. The Bowdoin defensive weakened in the last quarter after Stone, Campbell, and Peacock left the field with injuries which may weaken the team next week. Bowdoin was penalized severely throughout the game, losing 105 yards in the first quarter. The game was a long one, alternating 12 and 15 minute periods.

Deetjen, one of the fastest backs in the East, played a sensational game and got away with many long runs. Harmon also gained much ground for Wesleyan. The Bowdoin offensive was strong, the entire backfield making long gains through the Wesleyan line. Bowdoin had the advance reputation of having a heavy line, but the two proved about equal weight. The line held well in the first of the game and there was very little that went through it until the last quarter. Though much lighter than last year's line and with many new men, it is a far stronger line than was anticipated at the beginning of the season.

Again this year, the Wesleyan game proved a bad one for injuries. Campbell, playing his first game of the season, pulled a tendon in the last minutes of play, and may be out of the game for several weeks. He had played a strong game at tackle. Crockett played in his first varsity game, relieving Peacock at halfback. Rhoads and Drummond played portions of the game.

On account of the superior offensive on both sides, the game was a fairly open one, and consequently more exciting than the earlier games of the season. Until the very end of the game it seemed a Bowdoin victory, and the tying of the score was an odd coincidence.



## FIRST PERIOD

There was no scoring during the first period. Bradford kicked off for Bowdoin, and by a series of consistent rushes and equally consistent penalties on Bowdoin, Wesleyan got the ball within scoring distance, and then attempted a drop kick, which failed. Bowdoin then got the ball and rushed it within a few yards of the Wesleyan goal, but lost it on downs. Deetjen kicked off-side to the 25 yard line when the whistle blew.

## SECOND PERIOD

The second period started auspiciously for Bowdoin with three consecutive line plunges which put the ball on Wesleyan's five yard line. A clever forward pass from Shumway to Chapman sent the ball over the line for the first touchdown. Shumway kicked the goal. Wesleyan then kicked off and Bowdoin carried the ball to the middle of the field. Bowdoin punted and after a series of rushes and penalties Wesleyan reached the one yard line and Webb took the ball over for Wesleyan's first touchdown. Wesleyan then kicked off, Shumway received, and ran the ball back for 65 yards, being tackled from behind by Deetjen on the 10 yard line. Two 15 yard penalties took Bowdoin's chances away and the ball went back to the middle of the field. Wesleyan then rushed it to the 15 yard line and failed on a drop kick.

## THIRD PERIOD

Wesleyan kicked off. Peacock caught the ball and carried it back 63 yards on a pretty run. A series of end runs and a line play brought the ball to Wesleyan's six yard line, and Bartlett carried it across the line on a dive plunge. An attempt to kick the goal failed. Wesleyan then kicked again, and Rhoads was tackled in his tracks. A brilliant series of runs by Peacock, Turner and Shumway then brought the ball to the 10 yard line, and Turner took it over on a line plunge. Bowdoin failed to kick the goal. Bowdoin kicked off and the quarter ended with the ball in the center of the field.

## FOURTH PERIOD

Wesleyan strengthened in the fourth quarter. With the ball in the center of the field Deetjen and Harmon got away with an end run apiece, and put the ball over from the two yard line. Harmon kicked the goal. Bowdoin then came back with a burst of speed. On the kick-off Turner ran the ball back 25 yards. A series of straight line plays landed the White on the ten yard line; but the ball was lost on downs. Deetjen then tore off two 30 yard runs, bringing Wesleyan within scoring distance. A number of line plunges were of no avail and it looked as if

Bowdoin would hold them, when Deetjen took the ball on a fake forward pass, crossed the line and tied the score. The game ended with the ball in the middle of the field.

The summary:

BOWDOIN	WESLEYAN
Bradford, le .....	re, Boswell
McNaughton, Rhoads, lt .....	rt, Browne
Stewart, Small, lg .....	rg, Talbot
Small, Stone, c .....	c, Eaton
Young, rg .....	lg, Sutter, Froidevaux
Oliver, rt .....	lt, Woolley
Foster, Chapman, Drummond, re	

le, Webber, Johnson, Peck	
Shumway, qb .....	qb, Webb, Peck, Webb
Peacock, Crockett, Sprague, lhb	rhb, Deetjen
Bartlett, rhb .....	lhb, Harmon
Turner, fb .....	fb, Wilbur

Score: Bowdoin 19, Wesleyan 19. Touchdowns, Chapman, Webb, Bartlett, Turner, Deetjen 2. Goals from touchdowns, Shumway, Harmon. Referee, Carpenter of Harvard. Umpire, Hennessey of Brown. Head linesman, Hastings of Cornell. Time of quarters, 12, 15, 12, 15.

## OTHER FOOTBALL SCORES

The other colleges on our schedule this fall fared as follows in their games last Saturday:

Bates 7, N. H. State 0.  
Maine 0, R. I. State 13.  
Colby 20, Fort McKinley 0.  
Amherst 0, Brown 69.  
Middlebury 13, Stevens Tech 7.  
Holy Cross 0, Army 17.  
Tufts 0, Princeton 3.

## SECOND TEAM LOSES TO HEBRON

In the last quarter, the Bowdoin second team, although defeated 29-6, made the first touchdown that has been made against Hebron this fall, when Merrill crossed the goal line after receiving a successful forward pass from Babbitt. After Murphy had scored Hebron's last touchdown, Hebron kicked to Doherty who ran the ball back through a broken field 30 yards to Hebron's 40 yard mark. After an unsuccessful try at a forward pass, Merrill caught a 30 yard pass from Babbitt and ran the remainder of the distance for the second team's only score.

Although greatly outweighed, the Bowdoin line played a good defensive game, stopping Hebron's shoestring play on every occasion it was used. The Hebron eleven made good use of the delayed pass through the center of the opposite line, mak-

ing two of its touchdowns solely by this play. In the last few minutes of the first half, Murphy dropped a pretty field goal from the 25 yard line. F. Redman and Murphy played star games for Hebron, while Doherty with his two spectacular runs, Babbitt and Merrill also played well for the Bowdoin Seconds.

The summary:

HEBRON ACADEMY	BOWDOIN 2ND
Phillips, Worthington, le .....	re, Merrill
Damm, Leavit, lt .....	rt, Gillespie
Kenyon, lg .....	rg, Haggerty
Stanwood, c .....	c, Kern
Holden, Hurd, rg .....	lg, Hersum
Berquist, Chase, rt .....	lg, Casper
Haskell, Rydholm, re .....	le, Cobb
A. Redman, Purinton, Miller, qb ...	qb, Babbitt
Richardson, Purinton, A. Redman, lhb	

	rhb, Doherty
Bartlett, F. Redman, rhb .....	lhb, McIninch
Murphy, Coe, fb .....	fb, Colbrook

Hebron Academy 29, Bowdoin 2nd 6. Touchdowns, F. Redman 2, Murphy, A. Redman, Merrill. Goals from touchdown, Murphy, Purinton. Goals from field, Murphy. Referee, "Cuddy" Murphy of Hebron. Umpire, Whitney of Colby. Linesman, Merrill of Hebron. Time, four 10-minute periods.

#### DEAN BROWN STIRS STUDENTS

"By their fruit shall ye know them," was the text of Dean Charles Reynolds Brown of the Yale School of Religion at chapel vespers Sunday. The sermon showed how anybody could start something but that it took a somebody to carry it through—and reap the fruits. Among the men named, who had by thoroughness and persistence endured to the end, were Grant, Webster, Kitchener, famed the world over. He said that the need, today, was for men worth while, men, who by means of character, for character is what a man is in the dark, and persistence could walk to the end of life's lane without failure, attaining the end by doing each duty and doing it well,—clinging the nails. He closed in saying that the heart and the mind were the man and if they were right, "Patient industry need never doubt its reward."

At the morning service he spoke upon the "Lure of Goodness." He brought out in his striking way how goodness was the quality to be sought by anyone. Wickedness is famed everywhere in the world and when one speaks of having a good time, they generally mean it in an immoral sense, while righteous and goodness are

the best essentials. He takes for example of his thought our Saviour, although only an ordinary carpenter's son, without any education he goes about doing good, not scolding people for their wrong doings, but praying for their forgiveness. That is the joy of being good. Thus he left with us that goodness is a necessary factor in our lives for every day.

Dean Brown, through his important pastorates before entering upon his present position of leadership in Yale University, through his books and through his acceptable services as college preacher in colleges east and west, is widely known and greatly esteemed.

#### RIFLE CLUB TO SHOOT RUMFORD

A match with the Rumford Rifle Club will be the first event on the Rifle Club schedule. The date has not yet been definitely determined, but it will probably come next Monday afternoon. There will be five different ranges; 200 and 300 yard rapid fire, and 300, 500, and 600 yard slow fire, with ten shots on each range. Ten men will be picked to shoot, and the seven highest will score. Faculty members will be eligible to shoot. Each team will use its own range and the scores will be guaranteed by local N. R. A. officials.

There are plenty of men in College who are able to shoot 35 or better, and the coming week is an excellent time to try out for the team. New straps have arrived for the rifles and it is reported that the shooting is improving a full 20 per cent on account of this. There were plenty of Bowdoin men at Plattsburg and they are urged to try out for the team. The rifle range is handy to the campus and an afternoon on the range is one well spent. There is practice every afternoon under the direction of a Plattsburg man as range officer. Johnson '18 has been appointed armorer for the Rifle Club.

#### REPUBLICANS TO ORGANIZE

A Republican Club, to promote the interests of that party among the students will be formed shortly. At larger schools nationally prominent alumni are serving as officers. Ex-President Taft is Honorary President of the Republican Club at Yale, and his son is student vice-president of the organization. The promoters of the movement here plan to hold rallies both on the campus and in nearby towns. The movement is at present unofficered, but an organization meeting will soon be held. The men behind the plan are Blanchard '17, Burleigh '19, Hargraves '19, and Martin '19. There will be a meeting Tuesday night.

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## The New Song and Football Rally

The words of a new Bowdoin song were printed in the ORIENT last week. While it is too early to predict success for it, before it has been tried out at all, it seems to have the necessary pep and "catchiness" for a good college song. We have often regretted that Bowdoin is not more of a singing college. Many of the football men have remarked favorably on the fine singing of some of our rival colleges and we have always suffered in the comparison. Friday night comes the first football rally, the night before the Colby game, when Maine college football really begins. Let us have a big attendance and a good rousing rally to teach the Freshmen the cheers and learn the new song, and it would be a great

help if a few spare moments before then were used for memorizing the words printed last week. Let's all get together, give the cheer leader some support, and back the team in the way Bowdoin teams always have been supported. The team has gone through its preliminary season of four games without a defeat and deserves the best recognition we can give it.

## Hot Water in the Showers

For some time we have been hearing complaints regarding the showers in the grandstand at Whittier Field. The water is never warm and often there is very little of any temperature. The usual condition this fall has been a small, weak flow of cool or absolutely cold water. Specialists may differ as to the superiority of hot or cold water baths for the health but none denies that warm water is essential for a good cleansing. Neither does anyone deny that the thirty-odd men who come off the football field each night after a strenuous afternoon's practice, need cleansing. They need the clean, soothing feeling of a warm bath as much as the more invigorating cold bath and the lack of it cannot help lowering the well-being of the men. They have been led to believe, and we still believe, that the College is able to furnish them with anything essential if only it be brought to the attention of the proper authorities. We take this matter up then with the purpose of thus bringing attention to a small, but irritating and needless flaw in the perfection of our equipment.

## FIRST CHINESE AT BOWDOIN

Huan Shang Tang, the first Chinaman ever to enter Bowdoin, registered Tuesday as a special student with freshman standing. He comes from Canton and the past year has been a student at the Tsing Hua College in Peking. Tang is in this country as one of the 50 Chinese students educated this year in the United States with the income from the Boxer indemnity fund.

Small colleges instead of universities will receive the Chinese this year. The committee believes that in a college of Bowdoin's type the foreign students come into closer contact with real college life and will become more quickly Americanized than in the larger schools, where they cling together more than is good for their assimilation of our customs. Bowdoin was picked as one of the few colleges to receive the students this year under the new plan.

Japan has sent three men to Bowdoin in past years, but Tang is the first Chinese.

The students have welcomed him heartily. He is staying at the Bowdoin Club. He has studied

English for seven years and speaks it well. He can also speak French and German in addition to his native tongue.

#### OUTDOOR WORK FOR SURVEYORS

The surveying squad is having its week of outdoor work, leaving the campus at eight each morning and not returning until dark. Most of the work is going on in the Frenchtown district and there will be some in Topsham. Before the men are through they will make a town engineer's map of the section bounded by Pleasant, Mill, and Cushing Streets, adjacent to the area surveyed last year. The first part of the week will be spent in the working out of surveying problems. The men take lunches with them and spend the entire day in the open air. Professor Langley is in charge of the work.

In the spring the field work will come in April, and will probably consist of a survey of Merry-meeting Bay and the location of a railroad. The men taking the course in surveying are Achorn '17, Freeman '18, O. L. Hamlin '18, Hurlin '18, Johnson '18, and Vance '19.

#### OPENING OF MEDICAL SCHOOL

The 97th annual course of instruction in the Bowdoin Medical School opened this week with a registration of 55. Owing to the fact that new requirements for admission go into effect this year, as was expected, the number of students in the entering class is somewhat smaller than last year. Up to four years ago students were admitted from high school on examination. In 1912, the standard of admission was raised to require of all entrants one year of college work devoted to specially assigned subjects. At that time the size of the entering classes dropped, but soon reached the usual size again. Beginning this fall all candidates for admission must have had two years' study in a reputable college, in which particular attention shall have been devoted to physics, chemistry, biology, and either French or German. By raising the standards of admission, more purposeful students are received and a much smaller number is subsequently lost by failure to do the required work.

During the past year, the Council on Medical Education of the American Medical Association again ranked the Bowdoin Medical School among the "Class A" schools of the country, the annual classification on entrance requirements, curriculum, equipment, and the ability of graduates to pass the State Board of Registration examinations of the various states. The visiting committee of the Maine Medical Association also endorsed the work and standards of the school.

The faculty of the school suffered a severe loss during the last year in the death of Dr. Alfred King of Portland, then professor of surgery. Dr. King had been connected with the faculty since 1897, having been demonstrator of anatomy, instructor in anatomy, associate professor of anatomy, assistant professor of clinical surgery, and professor of surgery.

A number of changes have occurred in the faculty since the last school year. Daniel Arthur Robinson, A.M., M.D., formerly the representative of the Board of Overseers, becomes acting lecturer on medical ethics. Frederic Henry Gerish, M.D., LL.D., formerly professor emeritus of surgery and professor of medical ethics, has resigned the chair of medical ethics, and becomes representative of the Board of Overseers on the faculty. Walter Eaton Tobie, M.D., formerly professor of anatomy, becomes professor of surgery, and Joseph B. Drummond, A.B., M.D., becomes lecturer on anatomy and acting head of the department. Carl Merrill Robinson, A.B., M.D., instructor in anatomy becomes assistant professor of anatomy. During the absence of Dr. Robinson in France for the first part of the year, Elmer Henry King, A.B., M.D., formerly assistant demonstrator in anatomy, and now instructor in anatomy is meeting the classes of Dr. Robinson. Philip Weston Meserve, A.M., last year instructor in chemistry, becomes assistant professor of chemistry. Wallace Wadsworth Dyson, M.D., from 1905 to 1913 connected with the anatomy department, becomes instructor in clinical surgery, as does also Philip Webb Davis, A.B., M.D.

Newly elected members of the faculty are William Cotman Whitmore, A.B., M.D., of Portland, assistant in genito-urinary surgery; Albert Willis Moulton, A.B., M.D., of Portland, assistant in ophthalmology and otology, and Gerald Gardner Wilder, A.B., of Brunswick, who succeeds the late Dr. George T. Little as librarian.

The following former members of the faculty have resigned: Richard Fitch Chase, M.D., instructor in gastro-enterology; Albion Henry Little, M.D., clinical assistant in diseases of the eye and ear; Millard Carroll Webber, A.B., M.D., clinical assistant in diseases of the eye; and Merlon Ardeen Webber, A.B., M.D., assistant in surgery.

The new first year men are:

Adolph Anderson, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Hendrie W. Grant, Calais; Earl S. Hall, Springfield, Mass.; Edward L. Herlihy, Bangor; Clement P. Lelashes, New Haven, Conn.; Ralph E. Thayer, Enfield, Mass.; J. Napoleon Vincent, Auburn; Isaac M. Webber, Weeks Mills; Winfield E. Wight, Milan, N. H.



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## BETA CHI

Langdon R. White '16.

## PHI THETA Upsilon

Francis H. Bate '16.

## PIERRE PATELIN READ TO PLAYERS

Friday evening in Banister Hall Mrs. Arthur Brown, the Masque and Gown coach, read parts of "Pierre Patelin" to some twenty men. Those who wished to compete in the trials chose parts after the reading.

Last night from four until six, too late for report in this issue, the trials were held. Manager Colter plans to present the play in Portland about the middle of December. This will be its first trip. Half a dozen other trips are being considered. "Pierre Patelin" will also be offered as the Ivy Play in June.

## LARGEST BAND IN YEARS

The band has the largest number of men this year that it has had for several years, 28 men having reported to Leader McIntire so far. With the games with Colby and Bates on Whittier Field, and a trip to Orono for the Maine game close at hand, the musicians are getting down to work and will have a rehearsal this evening at 7 o'clock in Memorial Hall. Another rehearsal will be held Thursday afternoon at 4.30. The following are the men who have already reported for practice: McIntire '17 (leader), Bagley '18, Simonton '18, C. E. Stevens '19 (asst. mgr.), E. C. Palmer '20, T. S. Wood '20, Toothaker, Medic '19, cornets; Keigwin '18, Stearns '18, Dunham '19, Tillson '19, clarinets; True '17, piccolo; H. T. Pierce '18, L. O. Smith '19, N. H. Foster '20, altos; Tilley '19, Mundie '20, baritones; J. L. Scott '18 (manager), E. W. Holbrook '19, E. A.

Allen '20, D. L. Noyes '20, trombones; Knapp '17, Sandford '18, S. A. Smith '20, bases; Joyce '18, Warren '18, R. S. Turner '19, Richan '20, drums.

McLellan '20, Merrill '19, Scott '19; 2nd Bass: Decker '19, Doherty '19, Houghton '20, Joyce '18, Linder '20, Stanley '18.

### BOWDOIN AND COLBY IN THE PAST

Bowdoin has played Colby in football for 24 years beginning in 1892. During that time there have been thirty games in which Bowdoin has won 16, tied 4 and lost 10. The total of points for Bowdoin equals to 436 to 212 for Colby. Below are the results of the previous games:

1892	Bowdoin	56	Colby	0.
	Bowdoin	22	Colby	4
1893	Bowdoin	42	Colby	4
	Bowdoin	40	Colby	0
1894	Bowdoin	30	Colby	0
1895	Bowdoin	5	Colby	0
	Bowdoin	6	Colby	0
1896	Bowdoin	12	Colby	0
	Bowdoin	6	Colby	6
1897	Bowdoin	4	Colby	16
	Bowdoin	0	Colby	0
1898	Bowdoin	24	Colby	0
	Bowdoin	17	Colby	0
1899	Bowdoin	0	Colby	6
1900	Bowdoin	68	Colby	0
1901	Bowdoin	0	Colby	12
1902	Bowdoin	6	Colby	16
1903	Bowdoin	0	Colby	11
1904	Bowdoin	52	Colby	0
1905	Bowdoin	5	Colby	0
1906	Bowdoin	0	Colby	0
1907	Bowdoin	5	Colby	0
1908	Bowdoin	9	Colby	6
1909	Bowdoin	5	Colby	12
1910	Bowdoin	6	Colby	5
1911	Bowdoin	0	Colby	0
1912	Bowdoin	10	Colby	20
1913	Bowdoin	0	Colby	12
1914	Bowdoin	0	Colby	48
1915	Bowdoin	6	Colby	34

Total Bowdoin 436 Colby 212

### GLEE CLUB SQUAD CUT

Results of the recent trials for the Glee Club leave 30 men still in the running. The number will gradually be cut until 17 men are chosen for the club to make the trips. The following is the list of men still in the squad.

First Tenor: Chase '18, Crosby '17, Hill '19, Lane '18, Sullivan '20, Turner '19; 2nd Tenor: S. B. Adams '20, Harrington '18, Piedra '17, Pierce '19, Preston '17, Richan '20, Ross '17, Stetson '18, Woodman '18; 1st Bass: Allen '20, Biggers '17, Kent '17, Kileski '20, Johnson '20, Matthews '18.

### DEBATING COUNCIL MEETS

At a meeting of the Debating Council held recently Allen '17 was elected vice-president, and Albion '18 assistant manager. The following committees were appointed: on Interscholastic Debates, Norton '18, chairman, Albion '18 and Coburn '19; on the Inter-class Debates: Lane '17, chairman, Crane '17, and Foulke '19; on Student Forum: Jacob '17, chairman, Allen '17 and R. H. Cobb '17. A general debating rally to be held in the near future was decided upon. The subject for the Freshman-Sophomore will be decided upon soon, after which time the call for contestants will be sent out.

### COLE LECTURER PROMINENT IN ENGLISH

Professor William Lyons Phelps, head of the English department of Yale University, will deliver the Annie Talbot Cole Lectures at Memorial Hall Dec. 1 and 8. Professor Phelps is one of the most popular college speakers of the day and the committee in charge has been extremely fortunate in securing him for these lectures. Besides editing works on Shakespeare and Browning, Professor Phelps has written extensively; among his works being *Beginning of the English Romantic Period* and *Essays on Russian Novelists*. Just recently he published a book on the development of the English novel.

This is Professor Phelps' second visit to Brunswick. Those who were fortunate enough to hear his lecture on Books and Reading, given under the auspices of the Saturday Club two years ago will well remember his clear, forceful style and anticipate his return with pleasure.

### FACULTY PAIRED UP FOR CUP

Members of the Brunswick Golf Club have played to qualify during the last week for the match tournament to be played for the Erswell-Forsyth cup. Partners have been drawn as follows: Roberts and Priest; Sadler and Tobey; Sills and Woodruff; Hormell and Elliott; Nixon and Richardson; Furbish and Pennell; Nash and Erswell; Forsyth and McMahon.

Playing began Wednesday afternoon.

### RHODES SCHOLARSHIP EXAMS.

The qualifying examinations for the Rhodes Scholarship were held at Augusta October 3 and 4. The men taking the examinations were Francis P. McKenney '15, Clarence H. Crosby '17 from Bowdoin, and Julian D. Coleman '18 of

Bates. The candidates were examined upon Latin, Greek and Mathematics, and college men between the ages of nineteen and twenty-five were eligible to take the qualifying examinations. These preliminary examinations have been sent to Oxford where they are to be corrected and returned to a Board of Selection of which the state superintendent is chairman. Taking into consideration the scholastic and athletic ability, character and versatility of each of the candidates, the Board will pick one man to be the Rhodes Scholar. Announcement of this selection will be made some time in December.

#### SACRIFICES SELF IN PARALYSIS FIGHT

Dr. Arthur LeRoy Hunt '98 died at his home in Washington, D. C., Sunday, Oct. 8th, after being ill a week with infantile paralysis. Dr. Hunt, who had been a practicing physician in Washington for about twelve years, was an inspector in the contagious disease service of the health department, and during the recent infantile paralysis epidemic assisted in the crusade against the disease. He had been keeping under his observation persons who came from districts where infantile paralysis was prevailing. The last person actually suffering from the disease who was visited by Dr. Hunt is recorded as being no more recent than the middle of July. There is no known exception to this record unless we include the apparently well cases from infected communities which have been coming under his notice continually.

Dr. Hunt was born in Auburn, Me., Aug. 7, 1877. He graduated from the George Washington University in 1905. During his course there he also served as an employee in the census department. He was a private secretary to the late Senator William P. Frye, when he was acting as vice-president of the United States. Later he became Senator Frye's physician and made the last trip home to Lewiston with the senator. Dr. Hunt was a specialist in the administration of anesthetics, and was recognized as one of the most eminent of the younger physicians of the capitol. Besides his parents he leaves a widow, formerly Miss Marie Seitz, to whom he was married only last June, and one sister.

#### With the Faculty

Dr. Whittier has been doing some important work for the state in connection with the Perron case of Lewiston.

Professor Files will be away this week in New York and Boston. Adjourns will be given in his German courses.

Professor Burnett was in New York over Columbus Day.

Professor Van Cleve cut his leg severely with a hatchet while on a camping trip last week, and has been forced to use a cane.

Professor Wass was re-elected president of the Brunswick Club last week.

William E. Wass, the son of Professor Wass, sails on Oct. 28 for France where he will enter the American Ambulance Field Service.

#### On the Campus

Babbitt '18 was elected captain of the second team last week.

Morris H. Atkins *ex-'18* is studying at Ohio State College, Columbus, Ohio.

The engagement of Harrison '17 to Miss Mary R. Lowell of Portland has been announced.

John Thomas '18 is again in College, and John O'Donnell special, has been *on the campus* during the past week.

The first *Quill* is now in the hands of the printer and will appear shortly.

Seniors who wish to know how many courses to pass to get a diploma next June may find out at the Dean's office.

The football men were not allowed stopovers in Boston this time, but returned straight to Brunswick from Middletown.

There were several excellent parades of horrors from the Freshmen delegations of different houses last week before initiation.

Duck hunting in the Merrymeeting region and along the inlets of the coast in this vicinity is reported to be excellent this month.

Whalen '18 was elected to the Bugle board to replace Brierly who has left College, as representative from the non-fraternity men.

Phillips '17 was laid up with an injured leg in the Thursday scrimmage and will not be back in uniform until the last of the week.

The band rehearsals for the week are Tuesday 7 P. M. and Thursday 4:30 P. M. The management requests that members be prompt.

R. Davey Greene entertained the freshman delegation of Kappa Sigma at a dance given at his home on Maine Street, Friday evening.

The cross-country race between Hebron and the Bowdoin Freshmen will probably come at a part of the Fall Interclass Track Meet on Oct. 26.

From the *Wesleyan Argus* before the game: "In the estimation of Wesleyan coaches, Bowdoin had the strongest line of any team played last year."

## BOWDOIN ORIENT

Tag football is much in vogue these days, particularly directly after lunch. No interfraternity games have been played as yet, but several are pending.

New candidates for the ORIENT board are Hurrell, McWilliams, and Small from the Freshman class. There are a dozen other candidates from the class.

Babcock '17, Jacob '17, and Thomas '18 were the delegates from the Bowdoin chapter to the Delta Upsilon convention in Providence, R. I., last week.

The usual A to L and M to Z seating arrangement for Freshmen in chapel is in force this year, and men are liable not to get attendance if not on their proper side.

To date, Bowdoin has scored 40 points against the 29 of its opponents. It is some time since the team remained undefeated through the first four games of the schedule.

Some Freshmen who were low in the strength tests have begun gym work. Roland Cobb '17 will notify the men who are advised to begin early to build up the weak spots.

Seldom has the fall tennis tournament proceeded as far as it has this year. The players have been notified by telephone on the afternoon of their matches by the management, and as a result there will be a definite winner this fall.

A few remaining copies of the 1919 proclamations may be secured from the class treasurer, Mahoney, at ten cents. The class not only avoided the usual heavy proc assessment by pasting out of doors, but has even commercialized the night by selling the surplus proclamations.

Alstrom, a photographer who visits most of the colleges of the country biennially, is *on the campus* for two or three weeks and is photographing extensively inside and outside of the chapter houses. His album gives a comprehensive idea of the fraternity houses of the country.

The line of march of the after-initiation singers was extended last Wednesday night by a trip down Maine and Pleasant Streets to the Phi Theta House. The Delta U.'s were the first to make the rounds, and the Phi Thetas were the last, coming well along in the wee sma' hours.

The moving picture voting contest for an all-star cast from Brunswick was started at the Cumberland last Friday evening. Professors Fibles and Van Cleve were among the first to receive votes, and the Masque and Gown players also received recognition. Jack Magee and Joe Boyd are running well.

The following men were initiated into the local

fraternities in addition to the list of pledges published last week: Beta Chi: James Sumner Draper '20 of Wayland, Mass., and Douglas Arnold Haddock '20 of Calais. Phi Theta Upsilon: Burchard Kilkenny Look '20 and Ralph Emerson Eustis '20, both of Strong.

One of the Maine newspapers was temporarily removed from the newspaper room of the library because of mutilations. Anyone wishing to reserve a clipping should mark his initials at the head of the clipping and the number of the page on the outside of the paper, and it will be held for him at the desk after the next issue comes.

There are several fraternity affiliates among the men admitted this fall, among them being William Henry Montgomery from the Wesleyan chapter of Beta Theta Pi, Carl S. Keubler from the Middlebury chapter of Delta Upsilon, Merle A. Wood from the Colby chapter of Delta Upsilon, and Thomas Rogers Johnson from the George Washington University charge of Theta Delta Chi.

Under the new winter time table of the Maine Central, trains arrive from Portland at 7.55 A. M., 10.55 A. M., 1.32 P. M., 2.00 P. M., 5.48 P. M. and 11.52 P. M. They leave for Portland at 7.55 A. M., 10.55 A. M., 4.25 P. M., 5.05 P. M., 7.33 P. M. and 11.52 P. M. There is an eight to ten minute stop in Brunswick before proceeding to and from the East. There are frequent trains to Bath and Lewiston.

## Alumni Notes

'07.—Seth G. Haley has been elected principal of North Academy at Monson, Mass. Monson Academy is one of the old New England schools founded in 1804. A boarding department of 125 students, together with a number of town students, offers a responsible position. Hildreth '15 is head of the science department in the same school.

Ex-'10.—Word has been received here of the announcement of the wedding of Henry G. Ingersoll of Portland, Me., and Miss Gertrude E. Coombs of Belfast, Me. Following the marriage, which is to be performed in Belfast, the couple are to leave on a two weeks' wedding trip through Boston, New York, and Washington.

'15.—Ivan Colson Merrill is principal of the Lisbon High School this year, following Dana K. Merrill '15 who is this year an instructor in English at Penn State. Ivan Merrill was at the Union Theological Seminary last year. He is spending most of the week-ends on the campus.



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## HUGHES 3 TO 1 FAVORITE

Hughes is the favorite of the Bowdoin students nearly 3 to 1 according to a straw vote taken in the fraternity houses for the *Express Advertiser* last week. There were 234 votes for Hughes, 82 for Wilson and 6 for Benson, the Socialist candidate. These same precincts last May before the National conventions gave 144 for Roosevelt, 77 apiece for Hughes and Wilson and 11 for Root, which would indicate that the Bull Moosers among the students have returned to the Republican standard.

Of the students who voted, 74 will vote in the National election next month, and of this number there are 56 Republicans, 17 Democrats and one Socialist. There was one vote cast for Hanley, the Prohibition candidate.

In the spring election the faculty was 53 per cent Republican. The student body is 72 per cent Republican.

The voting was carried on at each house separately, and Hughes carried every house on the campus. The most closely contested group was the Bowdoin Club which returned 15 votes for Hughes, 14 for Wilson and one for Benson.

Delta Upsilon which is Hughes' own fraternity, went Republican 35 to 4 and Alpha Delta Phi went 20 to 2 Republican. The voting by groups was as follows:

	Hughes	Wilson	Benson
Alpha Delta Phi .....	20	2	0
Psi Upsilon .....	20	12	0
Delta Kappa Epsilon ....	29	8	0
Theta Delta Chi .....	20	12	0
Zeta Psi .....	18	12	2
Delta Upsilon .....	35	4	0
Kappa Sigma .....	17	13	1
Beta Theta Pi .....	26	8	0
Beta Chi .....	21	6	0
Phi Theta Upsilon .....	13	11	1
Bowdoin Club .....	15	14	1
Total .....	234	82	6

## PATTANGALL SPEAKS TO DEMOCRATS

Attorney-General William R. Pattangall spoke in the Bowdoin Union last evening in behalf of the Democratic party. He offered President Wil-

son's administration record as sufficient ground for his re-election. After his talk, the Wilson men in the audience organized a "Woodrow Wilson Club," the activities of which will be similar to those of the recently formed Republican College League. The men behind the movement were Moran '17, Jacob '17, Ross '17, and Marston '17.

## JUNIORS ELECT TONIGHT

The Juniors will elect their officers this evening in the Union. The ten delegations have pledged not to enter with any combinations and the election promises to be a case of "Fair play and let the best man win."

## COLBY WINS HOTLY CONTESTED GAME

Holding until the last minutes of play, and then penalized to within a yard of their goal, Bowdoin lost to Colby 14 to 7 Saturday, in one of the hardest fought games on Whittier Field in recent years. From a Bowdoin point of view the features of the game which stand out most prominently are the work of the back field, and the fight of the line in the pinches. It would be unfair to say that the line was not good all the time, but it was outweighed and consequently could not hold all the time, but three times when Colby had forced the ball to Bowdoin's one yard line, the line stiffened to an impenetrable wall and Colby was held for downs. Chapman who went into the game under the shadow of a great sorrow, was the hero of the game. In the first quarter he slipped through the Colby line and intercepted a lateral pass, carrying it 65 yards for Bowdoin's only touchdown. Shumway kicked the goal. In the second quarter Colby succeeded in forcing the ball over Bowdoin's goal line by a succession of old fashioned line plunging. The third quarter was scoreless and likewise the fourth up to the last four minutes of play. Then Colby succeeded, through two penalties and a fine forward pass, in getting the ball close to Bowdoin's line. Cawley carried the ball through center for a touchdown.

Cawley was far from the hero that he was in last year's game. In the first few minutes of play, he broke away for a 54 yard run which was

not allowed on account of illegal use of hands. Soon after he was taken out and did not appear again till the last quarter. Even then however he did not prove especially formidable, being tackled for losses several times. At no time in the game did Cawley gain more than five yards on a rush. Bressett, a Colby Freshman, was the greatest ground gainer for the visitors.

The prevalent opinion about the campus is that the team deserves credit for holding the score to what it is. Outweighed and out-starred, they fought with the spirit which has made Bowdoin famous.

In general Colby could force through our line fairly steadily for five yard gains. Bowdoin was weak on the offensive, being nailed quite often for losses, but held strongly in the pinches. Peacock made several good gains, and Shumway got away once for thirty yards on a fake punt formation. Colby made first down twenty-two times; Bowdoin five times. Colby tried six forward passes and completed two for a total of twenty-five yards. Bowdoin also tried six forwards and completed one, a twenty yard pass from Shumway to Chapman in the third quarter. Bowdoin was penalized thirty-five yards; Colby fifty yards, but Bowdoin's penalties were more costly than Colby's.

Following is the play by play summary:

#### FIRST PERIOD

Bradford kicked for Bowdoin. Hendrick received and carried the ball back ten yards. Cawley made ten yards. Kallock gained five yards. Kallock gained four yards. Hendrick gained four yards. Kallock gained five yards. Brownville gained one yard. Cawley ran fifty-four yards for touchdown which was not allowed because of illegal using of hands. Perry no gain. Hendrick kicks, Phillips received and runs back five yards. Peacock gains seventeen yards. Bourne substituted for Cawley. Peacock no gain. Shumway lost three yards. Peacock lost three yards. Shumway punts from forty yard line. Brownville runs back five yards. Hendrick two yards. Bourne fumbles and Chapman recovers. Peacock gains two yards. Peacock loses two yards. Incomplete forward pass. Incomplete forward pass, Shumway to Chapman. Colby's ball on downs. Brownville one yard. Hendrick two yards. Bourne seven yards. Hendrick four yards. Bourne five yards. Brownville six yards. Kallock two yards. Bourne six yards. Hendrick one yard. Brownville two yards. Bourne one yard. Colby penalized five yards, off-side. Jacobs throws lateral pass intercepted by Chapman who runs sixty-five yards

for touchdown. Shumway kicks goal. Bradford kicks off, Bourne receives and runs back five yards. Hendrick two yards, Brownville five yards. Bourne three yards. Kallock nine yards. Time. Ball on Bowdoin's thirty-six yard line.

#### SECOND PERIOD

Bourne two yards. Bourne ten yards. Hendrick one yard. Hendrick no gain. Hendrick five yards. Bourne makes first down. Hendrick two yards. Kallock no gain. Bourne no gain. Brownville two yards. Bowdoin's ball on downs. Shumway punts to Brownville on Bowdoin's forty yard line, who returns it seven yards. Bourne five yards. Brownville two yards. Bressett goes in for Hendrick. Bressett one yard. Bourne barely makes first down. Perry no gain. Bourne two yards. Bressett two yards. Twenty yard forward pass, Bressett to Bourne, putting ball on one yard line. Brownville goes over for a touchdown. Bressett kicks the goal. Fraser goes in for Brownville. Bressett kicks off to Peacock who returns eighteen yards. Peacock loses five yards. Shumway loses three yards. Shumway seven yards on a fake kick. Shumway punts to Bressett who returns five yards. Fraser no gain. Bourne three yards. Bressett ten yards. Fraser five yards. Bressett four yards. Fraser three yards. Crossman goes in for Bourne. Bressett fumbles, Bartlett recovers. Peacock loses a yard. Shumway punts forty yards to Fraser who is tackled in his tracks. Half ends on Colby's thirty-two yard line.

#### THIRD PERIOD

Shumway kicks to Bressett who comes back six yards. Kallock fifteen yards. Kallock fails to gain. Bressett one yard. Brownville no gain. Bressett kicks forty yards to Phillips. Shumway nine yards. Shumway one yard. Peacock two yards. Shumway to Chapman, twenty yard forward pass. Chapman one yard. Lateral pass, Shumway to Chapman loses seven yards. Shumway four yards. Shumway kicks thirty-five yards to Bressett, who is downed in his tracks. Brownville loses one yard. Hendrick three yards. Kallock five yards. Hendrick three yards. Brownville two yards. Bressett four yards. Kallock seven yards. Bourne three yards. Bressett five yards. Hendrick six yards. Bressett one yard. Hendrick ten yards. Bressett four yards. Hendrick one yard. Brownville no gain. Hendrick one yard. Bowdoin's ball on downs. Rhoads goes in for Stewart. Shumway seven yards. Shumway no gain. Shumway punts thirty-seven yards to Bressett who comes back eight yards. Hendrick no gain. Bressett ten yards. Brown-

ville two yards. Time. Colby's ball on Bowdoin's thirty-two yard line.

## FOURTH PERIOD

Bourne goes in for Kallock and Cawley for Hendrick. Bourne two yards. Bressett ten yards. Bourne ten yards. Bressett seven yards. Sprague goes in at half-back, Shumway replacing Phillips at quarter. Bourne no gain. Incomplete forward pass over goal line. Bowdoin's ball on twenty yard line. Bartlett two yards. Peacock loses five yards. Shumway thirty yards on a fake pass. Shumway five yards. Bowdoin penalized five yards, off-side. Bartlett five yards. Bartlett three yards. Colby stops Shumway for downs. Cawley loses one yard. Bressett three yards. Bressett kicks over the goal line. Conlon goes in for Bourne. Chapman twelve yards. Small fumbles and recovers, no gain. Peacock five yards. Shumway three yards. Shumway kicks thirty yards to Brownville who is downed in his tracks. Cawley five yards. Bressett six yards. Cawley loses three yards. Bartlett breaks up a forward pass. Bowdoin penalized ten yards. Cawley forward pass to Perry who is downed on Bowdoin's sixteen yard line. Bowdoin penalized fifteen yards for rough playing. Cawley three yards for touchdown. Bressett kicks goal. Bressett kicks off to Peacock who comes back eight yards. Erbb goes in for Buckman. Drummond goes in for Chapman. Three incompletes forward passes. Shumway punts. Colby penalized fifteen yards for holding. Cawley five yards. Brownville four yards. Oliver goes in for Bradford. McNaughton for Rhoads. Bressett loses fifteen yards. Time.

The summary:

COLBY	BOWDOIN
Perry, le	re, Chapman, Drummond
Coolidge, lt	rt, Turner
Stinson, lg	rg, Young
Dow, c	c, Small
Deasey, rg	lg, Stewart, Rhoads, McNaughton
Buckman, Erbb, rt	lt, Bradford, Oliver
Jacobs, re	le, Foster
Brownville, Fraser, Brownville, qb	
	Phillips, Shumway
Cawley, Bourne, Crossman, Cawley, lhb	
	rhb, Peacock
Kallock, Bourne, Conlon, rhb	
	lhb, Shumway, Sprague
Hendrick, Bressett, fb	fb, Bartlett

Score: Colby 14, Bowdoin 7. Touchdowns, Brownville, Cawley, Chapman. Goals from touchdowns, Bressett 2, Shumway. Referee, Murphy, Harvard. Umpire, Beebe, Yale. Field

judge, Halliday, Dartmouth. Head linesman, Porter, Maine. Time of periods, 15 minutes. vard. Umpire, Beebe, Yale. Field judge, Halliday, Dartmouth. Head linesman, Porter, Maine. Time of periods, 15 minutes.

## MAGEE'S HARRIERS BEAT COLBY

While the eleven were putting up the fight of their lives on the gridiron, the Bowdoin cross country men fought an equally strenuous, though shorter-lived contest with Colby and won 23 to 32. "Pink" Noyes finished first for the White after a little struggle from the Athletic Building with Thompson, the big Colby captain, which ended in Noyes passing him at the gate and finishing more than a quarter of a lap ahead.

The race was timed to finish between halves of the football game, but the men began to appear while the ball was still in action and the spectators had to divide their attention between the runners and the football team, which was holding its own in good style. The course was very wet and muddy, with consequent difficult running and slow time.

The order in which the runners finished was: 1, Noyes of Bowdoin, 30 min., 53 sec.; 2, M. R. Thompson of Colby, 31 min., 22 sec.; 3, R. A. Thompson of Colby, 32 min., 1 sec.; 4, Cleaves of Bowdoin, 32 min., 35 sec.; 5, Fillmore of Bowdoin, 33 min., 4 sec.; 6, Mosher of Bowdoin, 33 min., 12 sec.; 7, Crane of Bowdoin, 33 min., 25 sec.; 8, Anderson of Colby, 34 min., 8 sec.; 9, Merrill of Colby, 34 min., 25 sec.; 10, Everts of Colby, 34 min., 33 sec.; 11, Maddocks of Colby, 34 min., 36 sec.; 12, Tooker of Colby, 35 min.; 13, Hildreth of Bowdoin, 36 min., 45 sec.; 14, Smith of Bowdoin, 38 min., 15 sec.

The officials were: Prof. Paul Nixon, referee and clerk of course; H. H. Sampson '17, starter; Prof. M. E. Langley, Prof. R. D. Evans, N. U. McConaughy '17, and W. A. Savage '18, judges Dr. F. N. Whittier, Dr. G. F. Parmenter, C. A. Crosby '17, timers; L. H. Marston '17, scorer; W. F. Walker '18, manager; D. F. Mahoney '19, assistant manager.

## SIXTY DOLLARS FOR ARMENIA

The collection for the Armenian sufferers taken for the American Red Cross between the halves of the game Saturday amounted to sixty dollars. A fair day would have made this amount considerably larger, but for the crowd present, the contribution was a generous one. Dean Sills is president of the local Red Cross.



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## Cleaner College Elections

The members of the Junior class, together with the Student Council, have just taken an important and highly praiseworthy step in pledging themselves, by fraternity delegations, not to participate in any sort of deal or combination in connection with the coming class election and to oppose any suggestion of "swapping" votes. Too often have petty politics, involving inter-fraternity "combines" and vote-trading, entered into our class and College elections. Too often have group friendships been placed above sound judgment, with the result that candidates of indifferent merit have won out over men of greater ability and deserts.

Reference to the files of the ORIENT shows that this is not a new development; fraternity politics have existed ever since there were fraternities. Nor is it confined to Bowdoin; other colleges have had their troubles and other colleges are trying hard to solve them. Brown took action some time ago. Now Wesleyan has adopted, in a mass-meeting, a strict agreement against any sort of deals or combinations. It is time that Bowdoin followed suit and we are glad that the Class of 1918 has seen fit to take the necessary action.

But it is impossible for this pledge to result in the clean, open elections that are hoped for, unless the members of the class have the proper spirit behind it. The test of its efficacy will come at the election tonight. We sincerely hope that the men of the class will respect the spirit of their pledge and in no way attempt to hamper its working. Let the best men get the offices, and let it be without hard feelings that must come after an underhanded battle for votes, but which can be avoided if everything is clean and above board. The forward step has been taken; now let its benefits be proven beyond doubt, that there may never be a return to the old, discredited methods in Bowdoin elections.

## The National Election

With the formation of the Republican Club last week and the recent activity of the Democrats of the town and College, Bowdoin interest in national politics is at last waking up a little. It has often been remarked, with regret, that we take too little interest here in events outside, in the daily happenings in the world and nation. Nearly two hundred of the undergraduates are voters, with a duty to perform. The attitude of the College authorities is clearly expressed in the communication from Dean Sills, printed in another column. Excuses will gladly be granted for the time necessary for the trip home or to one's voting residence. The right to vote carries with it a duty to vote, and every registered voter in Bowdoin should make his plans now to go to the polls election day.

## Communications

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To the Editor of the ORIENT:

DEAR SIR:—

In College at the present time there are about 160 students who are of voting age. The College

very earnestly hopes that all these men will be able to cast their votes in the presidential election. The fact that such voting must ordinarily be done in one's home town, sometimes prevents men from voting; but the College would be glad to excuse students from their regular exercises on election day and give them time enough to reach their homes for the election. In the past it has been often true that very many men in College who have reached their majority have refrained from voting, sometimes through indifference, sometimes through ignorance, and sometimes on account of inability to reach their home towns. But nowadays all the colleges of the country are placing more and more emphasis upon good citizenship; and it is very much to be hoped that at Bowdoin we can display this interest in our country by voting at the approaching very important national election.

KENNETH C. M. SILLS.

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*To the Editor of the ORIENT:*

Why not utilize the vacant panels on the walls of the Bowdoin Union by stenciling thereon the names of members of championship football, baseball, track and crew organizations? The work would be very inexpensive, and would add greatly to the interest of the building, especially to the older graduates, and at the same time prove an added incentive to the undergraduates in their athletic activities.

JOHN P. O'DONNELL.

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**OTHER COLLEGE SCORES**

The Saturday results of the other college teams with which Bowdoin plays were:

Bates 6, Maine 0.

Amherst 0, Springfield 20.

Tufts 13, Boston College 0.

Wesleyan 14, N. Y. U. 0.

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**CLASSES FOR MILL HANDS UNDER WAY**

On a more scientific basis than ever before, the classes for the French hands of the Cabot mill started last evening in the new high school building. The department of the Christian Association known as "English for Foreigners" has been most effective in the social service work of the association. The work this year will be divided into the three R's.

Under reading, there will be a course of readings in government specially prepared by Professor Langley, dealing with the elements of national, state, and municipal government in simple words. There will also be a course of newspaper

reading. The writing will consist first of learning 400 simple words, about twice the vocabulary of the average French mill hand. These words will not be those of the primary school speller, but words particularly adapted to the needs of grown men. Simple English sentences will be composed with regard to the rules of grammar, for this has been a noticeable defect in their knowledge of English. Finally the men will compose short letters and write descriptions. A little of this was done last year with most interesting results.

Arithmetic will be given in a graded course, with special adaptation to their needs. Some of the men are adept in arithmetic while others show a woeful ignorance of the rudiments. For this reason the graded course has been necessary. For the beginners there will be practical problems in addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. After that will come the work in fractions, ratio and proportion. The advanced arithmetic is the most interesting addition to the work. From cotton authorities, text-books have been secured giving actual problems in cotton manufacture, and it is here that the men may derive some direct gain.

To carry on this work teachers will be necessary. Last year there was a large teaching squad from the student body, for the work is most fascinating, and the men are interesting. No special originality is required for the teaching as the course is well mapped out, but the course must be molded to meet the needs of individuals to a certain extent. The work will last five weeks, and there will be classes on Monday and Friday evenings and the teachers will be asked to be present at these ten meetings, which do not last late into the evening. It forms a most interesting opportunity for social service, and those who have taught in the past have been well pleased with the work.

Credit for getting the work on this efficient basis is due Professor Langley and Ramsdell '17, and to Little '17, the chairman of the night school committee. Letters in French were sent to 35 of the mill hands who attended last year and each was requested to bring a friend. The work has the hearty approval of the Cabot mill, and the men take a hearty interest in the work, and their progress is marked even during the few weeks.

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**COUNCIL TAKES UP DANCE AND POLITICS**

Three important matters were discussed at the meeting of the Student Council last Wednesday. The most important of these was the matter of class elections.

The unanimous opinion of the Council was, that it should condemn all forms of combination in class elections and the delegates present from the Junior class promised they would do all in their power to keep the coming Junior election free from politics.

The next business of importance was to appoint the following committees:

Ball Committee: Crosby '17, *chairman*, McConaughy '17, White '17.

Celebration Committee: Phillips '17, *chairman*, Sampson '17, McCormick '18.

Customs Committee: Shumway '17, *chairman*, Blanchard '17, Oliver '17.

Music Committee: Humphrey '17, *chairman*, Oliver '17, Norton '18.

The date for holding the College dance was then decided upon and it was voted to hold the dance on Friday evening, December 22nd. The nominations for this dance committee were as follows:

Seniors: Crosby, Phillips, Ross, Humphrey, Sampson.

Juniors: McCormick, J. Gray, Pendleton.

Sophomores: Atwood, McCulloch, A. C. Savage.

Freshmen: S. B. Adams, Sullivan, Cate.

The elections were held yesterday afternoon.

#### CASTS SELECTED FOR IVY PLAYS

The two casts, which will commence rehearsals Monday, are as follows:

##### "PIERRE PATELIN"

Pierre ..... Asnault '20  
Draper ..... Biggers '17  
Judge ..... Wood '18  
Shepherd ..... Maguire '17  
Guillemette ..... Stride '17

##### "INDIAN SUMMER"

Briqueville ..... Willey '17  
Noel ..... J. E. Gray '18  
Madame Lebreton ..... Redman '20  
Adrienne ..... Angus '19

#### TRIBUTE TO ALUMNI IN WAR HOSPITALS

A recent tribute by Dr. Hugh Cabot to two Bowdoin graduates doing heroic work with the Harvard Surgical Unit in the hospitals of France was the theme of President Hyde's talk at chapel vespers Sunday. A letter from Frank Smith '12, one of the surgeons, acknowledging the contributions sent from Bowdoin, was read.

The account of the work of the men on the surgical unit appeared in a recent issue of the *Harvard Alumni Bulletin*. In speaking of Dr. Carl M. Robinson '08, Dr. Cabot said, "He de-

veloped under the strain a very high degree of surgical skill, sound judgment and an evenness of performance quite unusual." Of Dr. Frank A. Smith, "He is an untried surgeon, getting his baptism, so to speak, under fire, showing skill, judgment, and a capacity for continuous work quite extraordinary."

Dr. Smith, in his letter of thanks for the contributions, said that he had purchased a phonograph, better cigarettes, and some equipment for the hospital including apparatus for the saving of limbs, which had proved most effective. The work of these graduates in the hospitals, together with the younger Bowdoin men in ambulance work, helps to bring the war closer to us.

#### ANOTHER NEW SONG

Another new Bowdoin song, this time by Rickard '17, has appeared. The music is by Dr. Burnett who also wrote the music for Coffin's Polar Bear Song. The new songs will be tried out in the near future by the students, as soon as the music has been published. The words for Rickard's song, which is entitled "Rally 'Round the White" are:

While youth with love rejoices  
Thy praises high will ring,  
For sons that follow after us  
Will sing as now we sing—  
Proclaim thy peerless story,  
And march with ages gone,  
To crown thee with new glory bright  
And follow—follow on:

#### CHORUS

With love and faith unending  
Where all true hearts are tending,  
Thy glory still defending,  
We'll rally 'round the White!  
And bright in Time's fair pages  
Thy poets, soldiers, sages  
Through distant, deathless ages  
Will rally 'round the White!

While age holds fond remembrance  
Of these sweet years of youth  
Far seas shall hear the sounding voice  
Of thy deep-spoken truth.  
For greater deeds of glory  
Shall join with triumphs gone—  
To crown thee with eternal fame  
And follow—follow on.

FORBES RICKARD, JR. '17.

**BOWDOIN'S SUFFRAGE**

According to statistics compiled especially for the ORIENT only 167 of the 437 men now in College are old enough to vote in the coming presidential election. As might be expected, a large percentage of Seniors may exercise their suffrage for only 14 of the 83 will be under age on November 7. 47 of the 83 Juniors and 80 of the 117 Sophomores and second year specials are disqualified on account of youth, while only 14 of the Freshmen and first year specials are old enough to vote.

During the compilation it was found that the oldest man in College is 31, while the youngest is but 15. One man becomes of age on November 25, three weeks too late to vote, while another passes the 21 year mark only three days before election.

It is interesting to know that of the four members of the present Senior class who were elected to Phi Beta Kappa last June, the three highest ranking men are among the fourteen under age in that class, while the fourth man had his twenty-first birthday during the summer vacation.

**RIFLE CLUB NEEDS MORE GOOD SHOTS**

The Bowdoin Rifle Club has scheduled a match with Rumford the first of the week and more are being planned. These first matches are all in the nature of preliminaries and thus it is hoped to develop a first class aggregation of sharpshooters by next spring.

The men who will shoot in the Rumford match will probably be those who have been trained at Bowdoin or Plattsburg, but it is particularly desired that the club members, especially the new ones, will come out and compete for a place among the ten who will make up the team.

**HARD GAME AHEAD WITH BATES**

After making a strong showing against Colby, Bowdoin now faces Bates, which defeated Maine 6-0. The two teams, on the whole, are evenly matched, as was the case last year, and the scores of both teams so far this year point to a close game. Bowdoin and Bates have met only one opponent in common, Fort McKinley. Bowdoin defeated the soldiers 2-0, while Bates defeated them 7-0, a comparison which would seem to favor Bates. It is conceded, however, that while Bowdoin had slightly the edge over Fort McKinley, that Bates played an undeniably weaker game than her opponents, her victory coming through a fluke touchdown. Yet Bates has a strong team as Maine found out last Saturday. Defeats at the hands of Harvard 26-0, and

Holy Cross 3-0, show no weakness and from reports at Lewiston, the team is playing together better all the time. In Captain De Weaver, Bates possesses an invaluable man at line rushing, while the accurate toe of Shattuck proves that the Lewiston college is a dangerous scoring machine whenever it gets within the enemy's territory. Among the linemen, Hamilton shows up most prominently and his work this Saturday will probably prove somewhat of a barrier to Bowdoin's offensive power.

**THE COLBY GAME RALLY**

Captain Shumway, Doctor Whittier, Col. E. C. Plummer '87 and Coach Weatherhead combined to put pep into the Colby game rally in Memorial Hall Friday night. Each speaker believed that the White would put her every ounce of fight into the game to win, and they told the fellows so. The entrance of the team was a dramatic feature of the rally.

Captain Shumway spoke first. He pointed to his team behind him on the platform and tersely expressed his faith in them. That was all. "Doc. Whit" got the bunch with some good stories and then told of the great Bowdoin victories and spirit of the old days. He strongly believed that the team would come through. Then Col. Plummer, for many years a speaker at the Colby rally, made a hit with his big faith in the eleven and with his stories, especially of Dr. Whittier's college athletic career. Coach Weatherhead spoke briefly his good opinion of what we would do in the game. "We Win" was his theme.

Between speeches the band played. Sampson '17 led the cheering and the committee passed the smokes and cider. Marston '17 presided.

**TOWN LIBRARY PRIVILEGES**

The Brunswick Public Library is located on Pleasant Street. Any student of the College is entitled to all privileges of the library. Each person is allowed to have out one volume at a time and may keep it out for fourteen days. Several volumes of Kipling's works may be obtained there for use in English I.

**GOGORZA TO SING IN BRUNSWICK**

Undoubtedly the greatest event in society interests this season, is the coming to Brunswick of the world-famous baritone Emilio de Gogorza, under the auspices of the Saturday Club.

Senor de Gogorza was born in this country but he was educated abroad and he studied under some of the greatest European masters.

The recital to be given by Gogorza in the Town



Hall, Thursday, November 9th, will be an event which no music loving student can afford to miss. The tickets at \$1.00, 75c and 50c will be on sale to subscribers on Saturday, October 28th, at the Town Hall. The general sale will be at the Town Hall on Monday, October 30th, and after that at Chandler's Book Store.

#### STUDENTS IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Returning from Portland Saturday evening a theatre party met with a serious accident about three miles beyond Yarmouth. The steering gear gave way and the automobile darting from the highway side-swiped a stone wall. All the occupants of the car were thrown out and although considerably bruised and shaken up none was seriously injured. The car was so badly damaged that the party had to come back in another auto. The party consisted of Fillmore '17, Scott '17, Bagley '18, Needelman '18, and Sylvester '19, together with a chauffeur.

#### MORE CONTEMPORARY HISTORY IGNORANCE

An examination in contemporary history, similar to the one which produced such interesting and rather pathetic results a year ago, was given last week in the course in Government 1 conducted by Professor Hormell. The course is comprised of Freshmen and Sophomores, and the second year men came out just enough ahead to maintain their dignity and prove that one year had not been wasted. The Sophomores percentage was 57 and 8-10, and the percentage of the Freshmen 51 flat. The same man who got the highest mark on last year's test came out on top again this year. He is Gardner '19, and his rank was 95%. The next best papers were those of Goodrich '20 with 93%, and Chadbourne '19 with 92%. These men received honorable mention: Newell '19, Gorham '19, D. C. Johnson '20 and Goodhue '20.

The following is the list of questions:

Identify the following:

1—Sir Douglas Haig, 2—Joffre, 3—Venizelos, 4—Vance McCormick, 5—Chief Justice of the U. S. Supreme Court, 6—Leonard Wood, 7—Carranza, 8—Gompers, 9—Attorney General of your state, 10—U. S. Senators representing your state, 11—Combes, 12—Thomas Mott Osborne, 13—Louis Brandeis, 14—Bucharest, 15—Congressman from your district, 16—Sheriff of your county, 17—Thomas R. Marshall, 18—Robert Lansing, 19—Tyrus Raymond Cobb, 20—Josephus Daniels, 21—Sir Edward Grey, 22—Von Falkenhayn, 23—Verdun, 24—Asquith, 25—Governor of your state.

There are one hundred and six men in the

course and of this number 98 men knew the 25th question. The following table gives the number of the question and the number of correct answers which some of the questions received:

Number 23—95 correct answers.  
Number 19—93 correct answers.  
Number 20—91 correct answers.  
Number 2—88 correct answers.  
Number 16—83 correct answers.  
Number 24—73 correct answers.  
Number 8—72 correct answers.  
Number 12—69 correct answers.

Tied for the lowest:

Number 21— 8 correct answers.  
Number 22— 8 correct answers.

Naturally there were some startling and amusing bits of information to be found in the papers. Senor Venizelos was credited with being a town in Mexico or Greece; Vance McCormick was a famous Irish tenor and also a well-known war correspondent; honors for Chief Justice of the Supreme Court were divided between Messrs. Fuller, Hughes, Brandeis and Clark; Leonard Wood was called a pitcher on the Boston Red Sox; Mr. Gompers was accused of being a city in France or possibly South America; among the Maine Senators were named Johnson, Burleigh, Hale, Fernald, Peters, McGillicuddy, Guernsey and Cobb; Combes was called a town in France, also a place in Roumania; Thomas Mott Osborne was given the titles of ex-convict and novel writer; Bucharest was located on four continents, six countries in Europe and as a city on the mouth of a river in India; Mr. Marshall was named as a United States Senator and the greatest Justice of the Supreme Court; Mr. Lansing was an ambassador variously sent to England, France and Mexico; Ty Cobb, a Freshman said, was an ex-governor of Maine; another called him "greatest baseball twirler living," also "stellar performer on Jack Combe's team;" Fernald was named governor of this state, and the chief executive of Massachusetts was stated as Call. Several said that Grey was Premier of England, and that Asquith was Prime Minister, rather over-crowding the office, as it were.

In general the examination was fairly satisfactory. Certainly it showed a considerable improvement over the similar test of last year. One man got a gross total of twelve points on his paper, three or four others received less than twenty and not a few had under thirty. However, as the figures show, the class as a whole knew more than half of the questions which is not so bad in these days of sporting page literature.

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### REPUBLICAN MASS MEETING

Bowdoin entered still farther into the sphere of politics when a Republican Club was formed Wednesday night at the Union. The meeting was called to order at 8.00 p. m. by Hargraves '19, chairman. A communication from the National Republican Committee was read, giving information concerning the founding of a club. Discussion then proceeded concerning action to be taken.

The Constitution was read and accepted by unanimous vote. The following officers were elected: President, Blanchard, '17; Vice President, Philbrick '17; Secretary, Hargraves '19; Treasurer, Matthews '18.

This is the first meeting that has been held by the Republicans of Bowdoin and the result is very satisfactory to those in charge. At the next meeting the executive board is to be elected to supervise the obtaining of speakers. Hughes pins are being circulated and literature will be distributed in the near future.

Papers have been circulated among the various fraternities and clubs for the purpose of obtaining the names of those who wish to join the club. There are over 200 enrolled already.

### CHAPEL MONITORS

The following men were appointed chapel monitors for the year:

Senior: Seward.

Junior: B. A. Thomas.

Sophomore: P. S. Turner and Mitchell.

Freshman: Badger and Palmer.

### With the Faculty

At the Maine Teachers' Association in Portland this week, Professors Hormell and Davis will be among the speakers.

Professor Hormell will give an informal talk on Making of the Constitution and the Referendum at the Codman House tonight at 7.30. Students are invited.

Professor Davis entertained with a dinner party last Wednesday in honor of Professor and Mrs. P. D. Williams of Clark University.

Mr. Wilder will attend the meeting of the Maine Library Association Thursday at Portland. Mr. Wilder is president of the association.

Mr. Wilder has just had a new book-plate made for the library which will shortly be used on some of the books. The plate has an attractive design incorporating the Bowdoin family shield. Several attempts have been made previously to work up a good book-plate using the Bowdoin

shield, but this is the first really successful one.

Mr. MacCormick spoke last Sunday evening on his experiences at Thomaston where he served as a convict in order to get insight into prison life.

### On the Campus

The new College catalogue goes to press this week.

Brewster '16 was *on the campus* for the Colby game last week.

Over 50 telegrams with congratulations on the Colby game were received Saturday afternoon.

Moulton '18 and J. W. Thomas '18 served efficiently as press announcers at the game Saturday.

The bleachers will be enlarged for the Bates game, for a large crowd is expected from Lewiston Saturday.

A picture of Pike '17 in a group of ambulance drivers, taken in France last spring, appeared in the *Boston Sunday Herald*.

The tennis match which Manager Norton arranged with Colby for last Saturday morning was cancelled on account of weather.

Football schedules were distributed to the student body after chapel last Wednesday, as compliments of the Wheeler Print Shop.

The band is to be congratulated on its excellent work at the rally and the game. It is large now and the men play well together.

Scholarship blanks may be obtained at the Treasurer's office now. They must be signed and returned to the office by the first of December.

A consignment of "stiffs" arrived at the Medical Building last week and attracted the usual amount of attention on the part of the Freshmen.

A trial for reader of the musical clubs will be held at 1 o'clock Wednesday noon. All desiring to try out should be at the music room promptly at that hour. Any selection will be acceptable for the trial.

There are still no less than ten Freshmen who have not purchased freshman caps. This is the last warning they will have before Phi Chi exacts the awful vengeance. See Crosby at the Deke House at once, Freshman, if you wish to escape the terrible wrath. The caps cost 75 cents.

The foggy atmosphere Saturday morning meant several hundred dollars to the football management, for the game was the crucial one of the state series and a fair day would have brought dozens more autos from Portland and up state.

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## SPECIAL TRAIN DOUBTFUL

If Bowdoin is to have a special train to Orono Saturday morning, it is necessary that 175 fares at \$2.50 be guaranteed. The meager returns from the sheets posted in the fraternity houses indicates that this number will not be reached, and while there will be a reduced rate, it will probably not be as low as \$2.50, and there will be no special train unless the student body shows more interest. Manager Blanchard was instrumental in securing the good terms for a special train, and there is a surprising lack of interest when half of the student body will not take the big trip of the season with almost a sure victory in sight. The time is drawing to a close when arrangements can be made for the special train, but it is not yet too late. Tickets to the game will go on sale at the Zete house tomorrow afternoon at one dollar per. This includes admission and a grandstand seat. The football squad will leave Friday morning for Orono.

## JUNIORS HAVE CLEAN ELECTION

At their annual election last Tuesday evening, the Class of 1918 voted entirely free from fraternity combines, which is a novelty for Junior elections. The following were selected:

President, A. S. Gray.

Vice-President, MacCormick.

Secretary, Johnson.

Treasurer, Roper.

Marshal, J. E. Gray.

Orator, Matthews.

Poet, Mooers.

Odist, Colter.

Chaplain, Norton.

Ivy Committee, Pendleton, chairman, Babbitt, Hildreth, Parker and Savage.

## SEVERAL THANKSGIVING DANCES

Six fraternities have already decided upon Thanksgiving dances and there will be several house parties before the Christmas College dance. Tuesday, Nov. 28, is the popular night for the Thanksgiving dances, as Psi Upsilon, Delta Kappa Epsilon, Zeta Psi and Beta Theta Pi have chosen that date. Delta Upsilon will dance on the preceding evening, and Theta Delta Chi has

selected Friday, Nov. 24. These dates are tentative in some cases, and other houses may decide to dance also.

The committee elected for the College dance at Christmas is made up of Crosby '17, chairman, Ross '17, MacCormick '18, Savage '19, and Cate '20. Elaborate plans are under way already and this first College Christmas dance in many years promises to set a high standard for the future.

## BOWDOIN BEATS BATES 13-3

The fighting Bowdoin eleven duplicated its win of last year over Bates on Whittier Field Saturday by the score to 13 to 3. Only the toe work of Shattuck, the Bates center, prevented a shut-out for the Garnet.

The game was a hard-fought, scrappy one throughout. Bates came down with plenty of confidence and an almost certain expectation of winning, after cleaning up Maine the week before, but the same fight that held Colby was again to be reckoned with, and the White's indomitable fighting won the game.

The teams were pretty evenly matched in weight. The Bates line was strong and held well for the most part, gains on line plunges being comparatively few. The Bowdoin line also held well, particularly at crucial periods in the game. The heavy DeWever, however, was able to play through for fairly consistent gains. Bowdoin's best ground-gaining plays were mysterious ones that the Bates team seemed quite unable to solve. Bates lost heavily on fumbles of which the White took ample advantage.

Bowdoin scored early in the game. Bates had the ball on their own 20 yard line when DeWever fumbled and Chapman recovered. A series of rushes by Shumway, Sprague and Chapman, brought the ball within a foot of the line and Peacock rushed it over. An attempt to kick the goal failed. Bowdoin scored again near the end of the second period when Chapman, repeating his performance of the previous week, snatched a poorly delayed pass from the hands of DeWever and tore down the field 65 yards for a touchdown. The good interference of Foster in warding off the Bates back gave Chapman a clear field with no one within twenty yards of



him when he crossed the line. Shumway kicked the goal.

Bates got its lone tally in the third period. In the previous period Bowdoin's goal had been threatened, but the attempted drop kick failed. This time Shattuck kicked from the 25 yard line and the ball just crossed the bar.

Every man on the Bowdoin eleven played such a consistent game that it is difficult to mention stars without naming the whole lineup. Captain Shumway and Chapman played conspicuously well. Shumway's rushing, punting, and general defensive work was admirable in every way. Chapman's spectacular run for a touchdown, his pretty 19 yard end around run and speed in tackling and recovering fumbles showed him to be up to his speed of last week, and a candidate for all-state end. Phillips played a good fighting game at quarter.

#### FIRST PERIOD

The game started with Davis of Bates kicking off, and the ball being received by Shumway, who ran back 17 yards. After a few rushes and exchange of punts, Bates got the ball on their own 17 yard line where DeWever fumbled and Chapman recovered on the 20 yard line. After a five yard gain by Shumway and Sprague, and an incomplete forward pass, Chapman took the ball around for ten yards on a fake forward pass. Peacock then came in for Sprague and put the ball over from the one yard line. Shumway failed to kick the goal. Bradford then kicked off to Bates' ten yard line and the ball went back and forth on the field until the whistle blew with Bates in possession of the ball on Bowdoin's 23 yard line.

#### SECOND PERIOD

Bates started the period a decided menace to Bowdoin's goal. With the ball within kicking distance, Shattuck went back as if to kick. DeWever took the ball on a fake kick and made two yards through the line. Shattuck then attempted to kick but failed and Shumway received. Shumway punted, Bates was penalized 15 yards for holding, and lost the ball on an intercepted forward by Shumway. Shumway then got away for 18 yards, but was called back for an off-side penalty. Chapman ran around the end for 19 yards. DeWever then intercepted a forward pass from Phillips and nearly got away, but Shumway, the last Bowdoin man between DeWever and a clear field tackled him, leaving the ball in the middle of the field. Bates then made first down, and when on the next play Bates attempted a delayed pass, Chapman dove in, snatched the ball and ran the 65 yards to the goal. Bradford kicked off and

after a brief play Bates punted to within a few yards of Bowdoin's goal. No Bowdoin man attempted to touch the ball thinking it would roll over, but Adam, a Bates man, accommodately picked up the ball and carried it over the line, making a touchback and giving Bowdoin the ball on the 20 yard line. Score: Bowdoin 13, Bates 0.

#### THIRD PERIOD

Bates started a rally at the beginning of this period. With a series of consistent rushes DeWever and Davis brought the ball within the danger zone. Here the Bowdoin team tightened and got possession of the ball on an incomplete forward pass over the goal line. After a series of plays Bowdoin made a short kick and Bates returned the ball to within kicking distance, and Shattuck again stepped back to kick. This time he succeeded and just barely placed the ball over the posts. The period ended with the ball in Bowdoin's possession on the center of the field. Score: Bowdoin 13, Bates 3.

#### FOURTH PERIOD

There was no scoring in the fourth period. Davis intercepted an attempted forward pass from Shumway to Chapman giving Bates the ball. An exchange of punts then took place. Davis got off a good forward pass to DeWever, but Bartlett tackled the latter in his tracks and the gain was only two yards. Bates then suffered a penalty of 15 yards for holding, and immediately after Bowdoin was set back half the distance of the goal for alleged unnecessary roughness as the result of which Bradford was sent to the bench. Peacock then intercepted a forward pass from Davis, and Bowdoin started rushing down the field. Shumway made 13 yards through the line, and then 19 more through the same place, but the last rush was not counted owing to a five yard penalty for being off side. An exchange of punts took place and Bowdoin started to rip it up again with Peacock going through twice for five yards and Shumway making 5 and 3, when the whistle blew.

#### Summary:

BOWDOIN	BATES
Foster, Drummond, 1 e	
r e, Arrata, Sampson, E. Moulton	
Bradford, Oliver, 1 t	
r t Quackenbush, Hickey, Knight	
Rhoads, Stewart, Kern, 1 g	r g, Adam
Small, c	c, Shattuck
Young, McNaughton, r g	
1 g, Ross, Clifford, Stonier	
Turner, r t	1 t, Hamilton
Chapman, r e	

l e, Lundholm, Stettbacker, Murray, Wiggin Phillips, q b ..... q b, Davis, Talbot Shumway, l h b

r h b, R. Moulton, Stettbacker, Kennedy, Cutler Sprague, Peacock, r h b .. l h b, Connors, Davis Bartlett, f b ..... f b, DeWever

Score—Bowdoin 13, Bates 3. Touchdowns—Peacock, Chapman. Goal from touchdown—Shumway. Goal from field—Shattuck. Referee—Hapgood, Brown. Umpire—Beebe, Yale. Head linesman—Porter, Maine. Field judge—Howe, Portland. Time—15 minute periods

#### PRESIDENT HYDE ADDRESSES FRESHMEN

"Are you human?"

That is the question which President Hyde placed before the Freshman Class last Thursday in a lecture given at the Science Building. Students, the president said, may be classified as human, unhuman, and inhuman.

To become a man a student must be human in the following perversities: athletics, society, science, art, history, philosophy, business, love, politics, morals and religion. To be human in athletics he must ridicule the use of stimulants and dip most ardently into the physical development disregarding energy and patience; to be human in society he must delight in the companionship of all, not of those alone through whom he wishes to gain; to be human in respect to science he must add a minimum to the promotion of man's mastery over nature; to be human in respect to art he must delight in interesting others in beauty of art, poetry and sculpture which seem to him fashioned by immortal maker; to be human in respect to history he must joy in tracing early education and wars that have benefited us and study what principles applied now will help them in the future; to be human in philosophy he must ridicule superstition; to be human in business he must support the honest deal and promote the production of beneficial produce, not attractive and sensual; to be human in love he must nourish the hopes of a family and trample the lust of vice and destruction; to be human in politics he must have a constant watch out for graft and the means to remedy it and for the betterment of the constitution in behalf of the people; to be human in morals he must have a belief of his own, not one which seems as good as the creed of some one else; to be human in religion he must have faith in the creed and cause for which Christ gave his life.

And if a student, though ignorant of these precepts now, has a clear ambition to and can acquire them in a college course, he is more to be de-

sired in this world than he who has the clearest knowledge of these and stoops to disgrace; or one tottering on the line between, undecided which way to go, waiting for Fate to break the ice on one side or the other.

The President's address is shortly to be published by the Macmillan Company.

#### STANLEY WINS FALL TOURNAMENT

Stanley '18 won the annual fall tennis tournament from Young '18 when he defeated him last week in a hard fought match. Young got the start on his opponent and for a while it looked as if he were sure to win, but the length of the match seemed to tire him and Stanley took the last two sets in easy style. The tournament was a decided success and full of surprises from start to finish the defeats of several of the varsity men being only a few of the upsets. The scores in the last three rounds:

Fourth Round: Young '18 defeated Freese '18, 6-1, 6-4; Greely '17 defeated Tuttle '19, 6-0, 6-0; G. H. Allen '20 defeated L. A. Burleigh, Jr., '19, 5-7, 7-5, 8-6; Stanley '18 defeated Van Wart '18, 6-3, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: Young '18 defeated Greely '17, 6-3, 3-6, 6-1; Stanley '18 defeated Allen '20, 6-1, 6-1.

Final: Stanley '18 defeated Young '18, 2-6, 6-1, 2-6, 6-0, 6-2.

#### CHAPEL CHOIR

The personnel of the chapel choir this year is: 1917—Crosby, Biggers, Ross.

1918—Chase, Joyce, Lane, Stetson, Thomas, Scott, Smith.

1919—Dunham, Hill, Turner, Decker, McClave, Pierce.

1920—Kileski, Johnson, Linder, Richan, Houghton, Sullivan.

#### FRESHMEN BEAT HEBRON AGAIN

The Bowdoin Freshman cross-country team defeated the Hebron Academy team, in a dual race over the college course, 24-31 last Thursday. On account of a handicap at Standpipe Hill, where a small bridge was washed away, no times were given out. R. E. Brown, Bowdoin, who finished first was far in the lead. Following is the order in which they finished: 1st R. E. Brown, Bowdoin; 2nd R. E. Cleaves, Bowdoin; 3rd A. E. Tondreau; 4th D. C. Noyes, Bowdoin; 5th B. H. Stevens, Hebron; 6th Edward Leclair, Hebron; 7th Howard Hodgkins, Hebron; 8th M. H. Smith, Bowdoin; 9th C. R. Harris, Bowdoin; 10th Harold Baldwin, Hebron.

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## Maine Next

The first two games of the State series have been played on Whittier Field where, for us, support of the team is a comparatively easy matter. The concluding game of the series will be played this week in Orono and it is hoped that a large proportion of the College will accompany the team. A week ago and again last Saturday the opposing bleachers were filled with Colby and Bates supporters. With a larger student body and a supposedly superior spirit, we should easily surpass their record.

Next Saturday our team will play before fifteen hundred hostile rooters and it is up to us to see to it that for every Maine cheer there is an an-

swer from the other side of the field. The games already played show conclusively that we have, this year, a fighting team, a team with great defensive power under its own goal-posts, which is also quick to take advantage of the least slip by its opponents. The much-advertised Cawley failed to make the least impression on our defense and we were robbed of a well-earned tie only by criminal officiating in the last minutes of play. Again last week, the Bates offensive was buried as soon as it threatened our goal line. With a much lighter line than any of its opponents, the team, ably led by Coach Weatherhead and Captain Shumway, has made the best record so far of any Bowdoin football team in recent years and goes to Orono with good prospects for a victory and a possibility of a tie for the State championship. The least we can do is to give the team our loyal support on a hostile field. We are certain of seeing an exciting, hard-fought game and the team is sure to benefit by our presence.

## RUMFORD RIFLEMEN BEAT COLLEGIANS

The Rumford Rifle Club defeated the Bowdoin Club in the first match which the Collegians have shot this fall by a score of 1417 to 1378. Bowdoin had the individual stars but the Rumford team was more consistent. The high scorers were Johnson with 228 and Schlosberg with 227. These two were at Plattsburg this summer and were the best shooters there. In the 300 yard rapid fire Johnson scored 50, which was the only perfect score. Schlosberg made a 49 on the 200 rapid fire, and a 48 in 500 slow fire, which was worthy of notice.

The match was shot off at five different ranges, 200 and 300 yard rapid fire and 300, 500, and 600 slow fire. Rumford shot off its match Thursday, but the Collegians were forced to take three afternoons on account of the few hours which were available. Two of the professors were on the team. There are men in College who attended Plattsburg this summer who made good scores on the range earlier in the season but they did not participate in the meet. The scores of the two teams were:

RUMFORD	
E. S. Glover .....	219
F. L. Bean .....	217
E. S. Swain .....	209
B. H. Bean .....	206
H. C. Frost .....	204
J. M. Harris .....	185
C. S. Proctor .....	177

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P. M. Johnson '18 .....	228
R. T. Schlosberg '18 .....	227
Prof. M. E. Langley .....	201
J. E. Gray '18 .....	187
E. H. Ellms '20 .....	184
Prof. Paul Nixon .....	181
W. E. Hill '19 .....	170
—	1378

## STANDARD MEDICAL COLLEGE ADMISSION

In recent years developments have taken place in the requirements for admission to medical colleges in the United States of which students in following their academic studies should have knowledge.

Under the influence of the American Medical Association, of the Association of the American Medical Colleges, and of State Boards of Medical Registration, all of the better colleges in the country now require, or are about to require, for admission not less than two years of college work, together with the training represented by full year college courses of eight semester value each in physics, inorganic chemistry, and biology (at least half of which shall be zoölogy), all including laboratory work, and a knowledge of either French or German.

Many medical schools have requirements in addition to these, but the requirements above mentioned are needed for admission to all colleges of the better grade. The Harvard Medical School, and certain other colleges, require organic chemistry before admission. Certain colleges require a degree in arts or science instead of two years of college work. Other special requirements exist.

Students considering the study of medicine are therefore advised to write early in their college course to the Deans of medical colleges which they may wish to enter to ascertain exactly what they must do to gain admission.

## FRESHMEN WIN INTERCLASS MEET

FRESHMEN .....	45
JUNIORS .....	33
SENIORS .....	21½
SOPHOMORES .....	10½

The splendid running of Cleaves and Brown gave the Freshmen a victory in the interclass track meet held Thursday and Friday on Whittier Field. Brown captured both the one and two mile runs, and also took a fourth place in the half mile; while Cleaves won the half mile run, and ran second to Brown in the mile and two

mile, each tallying 11 points.

Stanley and Savage starred for the Juniors, the former scoring 10 points by winning both the discus throw and shot put; while the latter collected nine points in the two sprints.

For the Seniors Captain Sampson won the pole vault; while White captured the high jump. The broad jump and hurdle events were omitted by agreement. Summary:

100 YARD DASH—Savage '18 and Simonton '18 tied for first; third, Allen '20; fourth, Saxon '20.

220 YARD DASH—Won by Savage '18; second, Simonton '18; third, Cook '20; fourth, Mosher '19.

440 YARD DASH—Won by Millard '20; second, Harris '20; third, Smith '20; fourth, Cutler '20.

880 YARD RUN—Won by Cleaves '20; second, Mosher '19; third, O'Donnell '18; fourth, Brown '20.

ONE MILE RUN—Won by Brown '20; second, Cleaves '20; third, Crane '17; fourth, Fillmore '17.

TWO MILE RUN—Won by Brown '20; second, Cleaves '20; third, Mosher '19; fourth, Crane '17.

HIGH JUMP—Won by White '17; second, Fennings '17; third, Rickard '17 and Higgins '19 tied.

POLE VAULT—Won by Captain Sampson '17; second, Saxon '20; third, Leighton '19; fourth, Warren '18.

SHOT PUT—Won by Stanley '18; second, Harris '18; third, Warren '20; fourth, Blanchard '20.

DISCUS THROW—Won by Stanley '18; second, McConaughy '17; third, Warren '18; fourth, Martin '19.

## VICTORY PROBABLE THIS WEEK

For the first time within six years, Bowdoin enters the annual Maine-Bowdoin football game genuinely confident of victory. Up to the State series, neither of the two teams had met the same opponent, and no adequate comparison can be made in that way. The offensive strength of Bowdoin, however, has proved by its scores so far, to be considerably stronger than that of last year, whereas Maine with the loss of such stars as Ruffner, Jones and Purington has been so enfeebled in her attack that she has not scored a point this season. New Hampshire State, Colgate, Rhode Island State, Bates and Colby have all held her off without a score, and not a single victory has been thus far credited to the Orono university. The Maine defense, on the other hand, is one to be respected, as its work in the State series has proved. The Bates scores came through two drop kicks from the twenty-seven yard line and in last Saturday's game, Colby



found it impossible to puncture the Maine line for a score. Hussey and Allen form two bulwarks of defense for Maine which the opponents have so far found difficult to thrust aside, while Capt. Gorham and "Pat" French of the backfield have been the university's most consistent ground-gainers.

The results of the two games to be played next Saturday will be all-important in deciding the Maine championship. If Colby wins, she will be the Maine football champion. If she loses and Bowdoin wins, the result will be a tie between Bates and Bowdoin. Bowdoin is justly and reasonably confident of victory in next Saturday's game and there is no apparent reason why she should not finish at least second in the State series, possibly in a tie with Bates for first.

#### PAST GAMES WITH MAINE

At this time it is interesting to observe the past games played with Maine which amount to 20 in number, in which Bowdoin has won 10, lost 9, and tied one. Bowdoin has 217 points to her credit with 184 to Maine's. Saturday's game will show us whether Maine ties us for the number of games won or whether Bowdoin will still hold the lead. The results of the games are below:

1893	Bowdoin	12	Maine	10
1896	Bowdoin	12	Maine	6
1898	Bowdoin	29	Maine	0
1899	Bowdoin	14	Maine	0
1900	Bowdoin	38	Maine	0
1901	Bowdoin	5	Maine	22
1902	Bowdoin	0	Maine	11
1903	Bowdoin	0	Maine	16
1904	Bowdoin	22	Maine	5
1905	Bowdoin	0	Maine	18
1906	Bowdoin	6	Maine	0
1907	Bowdoin	34	Maine	5
1908	Bowdoin	10	Maine	0
1909	Bowdoin	22	Maine	0
1910	Bowdoin	0	Maine	0
1911	Bowdoin	0	Maine	15
1912	Bowdoin	0	Maine	17
1913	Bowdoin	0	Maine	9
1914	Bowdoin	0	Maine	27
1915	Bowdoin	13	Maine	23

Total	Bowdoin	217	Maine	184
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#### BIG SPEAKERS FOR REPUBLICAN CLUB

The Republican Club will hold its big mass meeting Thursday evening in the Union. The speakers will probably be Ex-Governor William T. Cobb '77, Carrol L. Beede, county attorney elect, and Hon. Edward C. Wheeler.

#### GERMAN FOR ADVANCED ZOOLOGISTS

A club is being formed in College of men who intend to continue the study of zoölogy in graduate schools or who are particularly interested in the subject. The purpose of the club is to acquaint the men with the type of which they will meet with in graduate work and develop a keener knowledge of the scientific terms employed. The members of the club are being chosen by Doctor Gross.

Since most of the research work in zoölogy has been done by German scientists, and owing to the fact too, that much of the literature the men will meet with in graduate work will be in German, it has been decided to use a German text-book. Weidersheim's Comparative Anatomy will be used. His work is a condensed review of German, French and English research. Owing to the fact however, that this work is published only in Germany, but one or two copies are now available. As soon as more can be obtained, individual texts will be procured. On account of the foreign text only such men as have had six courses in German will be chosen to membership. The meetings will be held at regular intervals at Doctor Gross' residence.

#### COLLEGE CHORUS

The organization of a College chorus is under way. With the Glee Club as a nucleus, it will number about 50 men. Rehearsals will be held weekly, the time and place to be announced in a few days.

Two concerts are planned, one about mid-year and another in April.

The best of male chorus music has been selected, and is of varied and interesting character.

The members of the chorus will be under no expense, but faithfulness in attendance upon rehearsals is essential.

Students desiring to join will please give their names to Prof. Wass as soon as possible.

#### SHORT RALLY LAST WEEK

The cheering of individual players was advocated by Professor Nixon in his talk at the Bates game rally last Friday night. He said that the calling out of a man's name after he has made a play does more good than a cheer for the whole team. The other speaker was Professor Langley who gave a scientific reason for the coming victory. The songs were practiced without the help of the band, and there were some cheers under the direction of Sampson. There were no refreshments and the rally was snappier and less elaborate than that of the week before. A big one is coming this week before the trip to Orono.

### CHEMICAL CLUB FORMED

A Chemical Club has been organized among the upper classmen of the chemistry department, for purpose of promoting interest along chemical lines. The aim of the club is to hold meetings, assigned papers being read at each meeting, these to be followed by a general discussion. The club also hopes to arrange for lectures from men prominent in chemical circles throughout the state; at present the prospects for this are good.

Trips will also be made to Warren paper mills and other places of chemical interest.

The following men have been elected officers of the club:

President, Gregory '17.  
Vice-President, Humphrey '17.  
Secretary, Spalding '17  
Treasurer, Scholsberg '18.

### NIGHT SCHOOL TEACHERS

The students who have volunteered to teach in the night school for the Frenchmen of the Cabot mill are Ramsdell '17, Glidden '17, Gregory '17, Bagley '18, Blake '18, Freese '18, Simonton '18, Wood '18, Leighton '19, Longren '19, McGorrell '19, and McCarthy '19.

### BOYS' CLUB GETS GYM AND WOODCRAFT

The gymnasium work of the Boys' Club, which consists of about twenty lads between the ages of eight and fifteen, organized by Professor Langley is under the supervision of Peacock '18. P. H. Cobb '17 has charge of the club and nature study work, and R. H. Cobb '17 instructs the youngsters in camp craft and other essentials of the forest. There is every Tuesday evening, in the vestry of the Congregational Church, a meeting which lasts about two hours.

### MANY OUT FOR MANDOLIN CLUB

The largest number of men for years have reported to Leader True for the Mandolin Club. There is some promising material in the entering class and competition for the club is close. Rehearsals are being held twice a week. The squad will be cut to 18 men soon. Those who have already reported for practice are:

First Mandolin: Wentworth '20, Farrar '19, Houghton '20, Haskell '18, Davies '20, Doe '20, Warren '18.

Second Mandolin: Moulton '18, MacQuillan '18, Claff '18, Knapp '17, Albert '19, Skillin '20, Freese '18, Haddock '20, Berry '20, Noyes '20.

Mandolas: Moore '20, Tillson '20.

Mando-Cello: Sutcliffe '17, Stetson '18, Richan '20.

Flute: Sturgis '19.

Violin: Philbrick '18, McGorrell '19.

Drums: Holbrook '19, Smith '18.

### With the Faculty

Professors Woodruff, Moody, Whittier, Files, Mitchell, Brown, Sills, Hormell, Nixon, Davis and Milne, Mr. Wilder, and Mr. MacCormick attended the Maine Teachers' Association Convention in Portland last week.

Professor Mitchell spoke at the Penobscot County Congregational Conference which was held in Brewer last Tuesday.

Dean Sills spoke last Monday evening before the Woodrow Wilson Club of Colby College. His subject was "Why College Men Should Be Interested in Politics."

Professor Hormell was elected to the council of the New England History Teachers' Association at the annual meeting held at Providence last week.

Professor William Hawley Davis was a guest of the Editorial Club of the *Portland Evening Express-Advertiser* and *Sunday Telegram* at its October meeting, Wednesday evening. He spoke on "News and Newspapers as Viewed by a College Professor."

Miss Smith, curator of the Art Building, has been in Boston the past week.

### On the Campus

The first fall number of the *Quill* appeared last week.

Hour exams have been given lately, preparing for "warnings."

Sweet cider has been flowing freely at the ends and houses these days.

Sandford '18 who has served on the Mexican border this summer is expected back this week.

Judge Lucilius A. Emery '61 was on the campus last week, and visited some of the classes.

In the Senior class there are twenty-four men who will be able to graduate in February if they wish.

Another call was issued last Wednesday for Glee Club candidates and four new men responded.

There was a dance at the Bath Yacht Club Friday evening given by Dave Kelley's Banjo Orchestra.

Noyes was elected captain of the Freshman cross-country team the afternoon of the race with Hebron.

McClave '19 is confined in the Maine General Hospital at Portland suffering from a severe abscess in the ear.

Scott '17, Dow '17, Bagley '18, Chadbourne '19, and Jones '18 made up an automobile party to the White Mountains Sunday.

A few have not yet paid the \$7.50 for their extra course. These have had to drop the course unless paid by last Saturday.

Saturday was the first time that Bowdoin has beaten Bates on Whittier Field since 1904, and only the second time since 1896.

It is reported that Bates had reserved an entire theatre in Lewiston in anticipation of celebrating an expected victory over Bowdoin.

There were about 3,000 spectators at Saturday's game. Every bleacher ticket was sold and there were over a hundred autos.

Twenty-five Freshmen swelled the crowd at the Young People's Society social Thursday evening at the Church on the Hill.

Johnson '20 has left College and returned to his home in Washington, D. C. He will be in the South this winter with the Geological Survey.

The Deutscher Verein will hold its meeting for organization either Wednesday or Thursday this week. For particulars watch the bulletin board.

A panoramic picture of the entire student body was taken before the Chapel Friday afternoon. It is three years since such a picture has been taken.

The brick walls of the Infirmary have risen well above the second floor and the roof will be on before snow flies unless the winter is abnormally early.

An impromptu Freshman rally was held in Memorial Hall last Wednesday for the purpose of arousing Freshman interest in the interclass track meet.

Professor James L. McConaughy of Dartmouth, former professor of Education and English at Bowdoin, was *on the campus* for the Bates-Bowdoin game.

Half a dozen men tried out for reader of the Musical Clubs last Wednesday noon. There will be a second trial this week for Gray '18, Mooers '18, Badger '20 and Moore '20.

Many of the Freshmen and a few upper-classmen, are yet to learn that books on the reserve shelf in the library are let out for overnight use only and are to be returned at 8:30 in the morning.

Several of the Maine papers have been discussing the poor quality of officials in the Maine series of late. Dissatisfaction over the officiating in the Bowdoin-Colby game started the discussion.

The excellent showing of Brown '20 in the Freshman-Hebron cross-country race last week

causes a conjecture as to where he would finish in the state cross-country next week, if he were eligible.

There will be a band rehearsal this evening at 7 o'clock in Memorial Hall. All the members are requested to be present as the men will be chosen for the Maine trip at that time. Half expenses will be paid for the band men making the trip this fall.

The baseball series between the Freshmen and Sophomores has been called off until next spring because of cold weather. As the series now stands the Freshmen have the advantage, having won one game and tied the other.

The football team spent Friday afternoon on the golf links. Coach Weatherhead carried off the individual honors. It is reported that the team dug up the turf on the links about as well as they do on Whittier Field.

There have been a few changes in the casts of the Ivy plays, by which Willey will play the title role in *Pierre Patelin* and Asnault will play the Judge. In *Indian Summer*, Wood '18 will play *Briqueville*. Rehearsals were held last Monday and Thursday.

The results of recent trials for the Glee Club leave 22 men still in the race. The list of first tenors and second basses remains the same as it was two weeks ago. Second tenors: Harrington '18, Pierce '18, Ross '17, Stetson '18, Woodman '18; first bass: Biggers '17, Kileski '20, Matthews '18, Merrill '19, Scott '19.

There has not been quite as much tag football between the fraternities this fall as last year. The Delta U's defeated the Theta Deltas 6-1 in a fast game Friday afternoon, but previous to that the Theta Deltas had won three times from the Psi U's. The Zeta Democrats won from the Republicans in that house 8-2.

A victrola record has been taken from the Union without the authority of the attendants. Though records have been loaned in the past, this is the first time that one has been stolen. The record is a double-disc affair with two saxophone selections. If it is returned to the Union this week, no questions will be asked.

A notice on the bulletin board concerning the condition of the second team attracted much attention last week. The number of men on the second team from each house was given. There are two fraternities without a man on the football squad, while the record number on the second team was four. There was an appeal for more men in order that the first team may have opposition in practice.

Certain statistics of the men entering College



this fall are lacking at the Dean's office. In order that the data for the College catalogues may be kept complete and exact and for other things where statistics are required the filling out of the blanks is necessary. All men who have not yet complied with this request from the office are again asked to do so. A list of the delinquents appears on the bulletin board. The College bonds are also due at the Treasurer's office.

### Alumni Notes

'60.—Hon. William W. Thomas of Portland, Me., formerly United States minister to Sweden, is campaigning throughout the west in the interest of the Republican party and is everywhere meeting with large and enthusiastic crowds, according to the reports which have come to press.

At the beginning of the present campaign he returned to his home in Portland from Sweden, where he has lived many years, for the express purpose of telling the American people how greatly America has fallen in the estimation of European courts, especially the great neutral nations of the Scandinavian peninsula, because of its policy in the present war.

'81.—James P. Baxter of Portland, Me., was recently elected secretary for foreign correspondence at a meeting of the American Antiquarian Society held in Worcester, Mass.

'96.—John Clair Minot of Boston has been elected a trustee of Nasson Institute, Springvale, Maine.

'97.—At the meeting of the New England History Teachers' Association last week in Providence, R. I., Professor Harry M. Varrell, now of Simmons College, was elected vice-president and a member of the council.

ex-'00.—George C. Minard, who has been superintendent of schools in Bristol, Rhode Island, has accepted a similar position this fall in Arlington, Mass.

'04.—Mr. and Mrs. Jaffrey Richardson of Brookline, Mass., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Gertrude Ober, to George Everett Kimball, Bowdoin '04. Mr. Kimball has practised law in Boston since his graduation from the Harvard Law School, and resides in Brookline.

'05.—There is an article by Stanley P. Chase, Ph.D., in the *English Journal* for October, on the "Intellectual Content of Literature." Since graduating from Bowdoin Mr. Chase has received his A.M. from Harvard and, in 1911, his Ph.D. He was an assistant instructor in English at Harvard for a year after receiving his A.M., and then became instructor at Northwestern. Since

1911 he has been at Union.

'06.—Dr. George A. Parcher has recently been assigned to the United States Marine Hospital at San Francisco, where he will be the ranking physician in that institution, standing next in authority to the head.

Dr. Parcher's success in the medical world has been both marked and rapid. He received his M.D. from Harvard in 1910 and for a short time served as an interne at the State Hospital in Danvers, Mass. His work in this institution warranted recognition from the United States public health bureau, and he was selected to become a member of the Immigrant and Contagious Disease Hospital at Ellis Island, New York City. While practising at this station Dr. Parcher was one of the physicians on the Iceburg Patrol.

In 1913 he was transferred to the Marcus Hook Immigrant Station and to the public health service in Philadelphia. His latest appointment to the station at San Francisco is an advantageous one indeed, for the station is reckoned by medical men as the best and most coveted one in the United States service.

'07.—In the April number of the *Washington University Studies* there is an article by William A. Robinson on "Party Organization and Campaign Methods in the Jeffersonian Era." Mr. Robinson studied at the University of Wisconsin after his graduation from Bowdoin and received his A.M. there in 1910. Since then he has been at Yale. His new book, "Jeffersonian Democracy in New England," has recently been published by the Yale Historical Publishing Co.

'01.—Prof. Austin P. Larrabee has retired as professor of Biology at Fairmount College, Wichita, Kan., to accept a similar chair at Yankton College, Yankton, S. D.

'11.—Charles Boardman Hawes, of the editorial staff of the *Youth's Companion*, and Miss Dorothea Cable were married on June 1st, at the home of the bride in Northampton, Mass. The officiating clergyman was Rev. Gerald Stanley Lee. The bride is the daughter of George W. Cable, the novelist. One of her sisters is the wife of Prof. A. L. P. Dennis of the University of Wisconsin, formerly of Bowdoin.

ex-'16.—News of the marriage of William R. Pease to Miss Clara Mae Jones of Portland, Me., has been received. Mr. Pease is now connected with the firm of A. J. Jacobus' Sons, brush manufacturers of Verona, N. Y. After the wedding, which took place Oct. 16, the couple left on an automobile trip through the White Mountains and New York State. They will be at home after Jan. 1st, at 7 Forest Avenue, Verona, New York.



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## MAINE SERIES WON BY COLBY

	Won	Lost	Tied	P. C.
Colby .....	2	0	1	1.000
Bowdoin .....	1	1	1	.500
Maine .....	0	1	2	.000
Bates .....	1	2	0	.333

Bowdoin has won 67 points against the 53 of its opponents so far this season.

## FRESHMEN INVITED TO DARTMOUTH RACE

The Freshman cross-country team has received an invitation to participate in a cross-country race at Dartmouth. The Freshman teams which have been invited are Harvard, Princeton, Brown, Bowdoin and Yale. This is the first time that a Bowdoin Freshman cross-country team has been honored with an invitation to run with larger colleges. With Brown running true to form and Noyes and Cleaves improving every day, the Freshmen should be able to make a good showing.

## PROFESSOR HAM ACTIVE IN RUSSIA

Professor Roscoe Ham, who is absent on leave until the second semester, has been since June in Russia, as special assistant at the American Embassy in Petrograd, and has been in charge of the Relief Office of the 2nd Division of the Embassy. He is to travel this month into the remoter districts of the empire and will visit detention camps for military and civilian prisoners as far East as the Ural mountains.

## STATE CROSS-COUNTRY RACE LOOKS CLOSE

Indications point to the fact that all four Maine colleges will be closely bunched in next Friday's annual Maine Intercollegiate Cross-Country Meet over the Bates course at Lewiston. The Bowdoin men have been practicing hard and faithfully for the past two weeks, and although handicapped by the ineligibility of the star cross-country man, Brown '20, the College should make a good showing. Coach Magee expects Cleaves '20 and Noyes '20 to come in among the first bunch of runners, and while counting upon Captain Fillmore '17 to finish well up, he expressly states that it rests with the "second wind" men such as Crane '17 and Mosher '19 whether or

not Bowdoin shall stand well to the front in the final score. The men feared most at Colby are A. D. Colby, their new man who comes with the junior mile championship laurels on his head, Capt. Mark Thompson and his brother Paul Thompson; at Bates, Gregory, her star two miler. Jenkins and Lane, and at Maine, Preti, the veteran of many seasons, if he is in form, Dempsey and Wunderlick.

## BOWDOIN AND MAINE FIGHT TO A DRAW

The championship series culminated at Orono Saturday in what was undoubtedly the hardest and at the same time the cleanest fought game played in the State this fall. Bowdoin went into the contest with the expectation of victory. Maine went in with very much the same intention. The result was the only logical one—a tie. As they appeared on the field this score represents pretty much the relative strength and ability of the teams.

While Bowdoin had hopes of winning, the College and the team realized that an eleven which had held Colby scoreless was not to be lightly regarded. Maine, backed by her big crowd of a thousand odd, got away to a flying start, and scored so soon and so easily that the Bowdoin team seemed absolutely demoralized. Never was a better demonstration of the finish fight of which Bowdoin is proud than the manner in which the White came back to the field in the second half, overtook the seven-point lead Maine had acquired, and left the field at least on equal footing with their opponents.

To two men especially the outcome is due, though heroes were by no means lacking throughout the second half. Captain Shumway, severely injured in the game, was strong on the attack and proved that the persistence and fight which have all along made him so excellent a leader, were again to be a chief element in winning Bowdoin's success. Peacock, always efficient on the defense, showed great ability on the attack also, and paved the way for the score by his swift dashes through the edges of the Maine line. To Shumway again is due credit for some of the best passing any Bowdoin man has been responsible for in some time. It was Needelman who made

the touchdown, and Shumway kicked the goal, with the game depending on which way the ball fell as it struck the cross-bar.

Next in these came Chapman. His receiving of Shumway's passes was in good degree a cause of the success of Bowdoin's long march down the field in the last quarter. Bradford and Bartlett did excellent work on the defense. Phillips, who was injured and taken out early in the game, and Needelman, who replaced him, both played the

for Shumway, Peacock, and Bartlett.

For Maine, Captain Gorham and Stewart played brilliantly, while Furey at quarter handled the plays exceedingly well.

The game in detail:

#### FIRST PERIOD

Gorham kicked to Bradford on the twenty-five yard line. Shumway made five yards and was tackled by Davis. Chapman failed to gain. Shumway made three through the line, and then



**BRADFORD**

Playing well in his new Position at Tackle

quarter position in fine style.

The chief source of Bowdoin's difficulty, as during the entire season, was in the line. Time and again during the first part of the game the Maine attack tore through for big gains, the entire brunt of the work falling on the secondary defense, which bore it nobly. The linemen cannot be blamed; they played hard and persistently; lack of weight and experience told against them. In the second half, matters were very different; the Maine offense was continually piled up for no gain, and on the attack big holes were opened



**STONE**

Veteran Center out of Series with Injuries

punted to Stewart on Maine's forty-five yard line. Gorham went through right tackle for seven and again for two. Furey made it first down and Stewart gained three more. Through right tackle Gorham made two four yard gains. Furey made two and Stewart four. Gorham made three and Furey rushed the ball to Bowdoin's twenty-five yard line. Stewart made seven around left end, and Gorham followed with seven through the line. Two line plunges gave Gorham six yards, after which Stewart went over for a touchdown. Gorham kicked the goal.

Gorham kicked off to Turner who returned ten yards. Sprague, sent in for Phillips, and Shumway, now attempted to buck the line, but with little success. Shumway punted to Gorham on Maine's twenty-five yard line and the quarter ended. Maine 7, Bowdoin 0.

#### SECOND PERIOD

The second period was featured by Maine's attack, and Bowdoin's defense when the goal line was actually in danger. Outside of her own twenty yard line Bowdoin seemed to possess no defensive whatever. Gorham and Furey broke through for long gains, only to be stopped by the secondary defense. Bartlett, Peacock and Shumway did excellent work here. Twice Bowdoin held for downs within the fifteen yard line. The period ended with the ball in Maine's possession near the center of the field after Shumway had kicked out of danger.

#### THIRD PERIOD

The third period saw numerous changes in both lineups. At the very outset the Bowdoin defense stiffened, and at no time did Maine make the big gains of the earlier part of the game. Receiving the kick, Maine rushed the ball to the center of the field. An exchange of kicks slightly favored Maine, but the Bowdoin line held and an intercepted pass gave the White the ball. During the latter part of the period the ball was changing hands continually. The quarter ended, Maine's ball on her own thirty-five yard line.

#### FOURTH PERIOD

After an exchange of kicks in the last quarter Bowdoin, taking the ball on her own twenty yard line began the march down the field which will figure as one of the most brilliant in Bowdoin's football history. With Shumway bucking the line, Peacock skirting the tackles, and a quick assortment of shifts, delayed passes, and plunges, the Maine line was completely baffled. A fine pass, Shumway to Chapman, made the score possible, and Peacock and Needelman put the ball across. Peacock kicked out to Shumway, who kicked the goal. During the remainder of the game the ball remained chiefly in the center of the field, until the very end, when two Maine passes put the ball in Bowdoin's territory just as the whistle blew. Final score: Bowdoin 7, Maine 7.

The lineup:

MAINE	BOWDOIN
Hiller, White, le	le, Foster Drummond
Peterson, lt	lt, Bradford
Magee, J. Davis, Moulton,	Hussey, lg lg, Rhoads
Mulvaney, Couri, c	c, Small
T. Davis, rg	rg, Young, Stewart

Allen, rt rt, Turner, Oliver  
Reardon, re re, Chapman  
Spiers, Furey, qb

qb, Phillips, Shumway, Needelman  
Stewart, lhb lhb, Shumway, Sprague Shumway  
Gorham, rhb rhb, Peacock  
Huntton, Baldwin, French, fb fb, Bartlett  
Referee, Burke, Boston. Umpire, Beebe, Yale.  
Head linesman, Kelley, Portland. Field judge,  
Macreadie, Portland. Time, 15 minute periods.

Scoring:

Maine—Touchdown, Gorham. Goal from  
touchdown, Gorham.

Bowdoin—Touchdown, Needelman. Goal from  
touchdown, Shumway.

#### GREAT PARADE FOLLOWS SMALL RALLY

Stinging speeches by Professor Bell and Mr. MacCormick at the rally last Friday night gave rise to one of the greatest demonstrations Bowdoin has seen in the past few years. Leaving the rally, at which the attendance was barely 50 at first, the men went through the ends routing out the delinquents, and then headed by the band, the column headed down street, constantly increasing in numbers. At the Cumberland, the students took possession of the theatre, and Marston led the cheers for ten minutes in a most effective manner. Finally, he asked "Shall we go over to the dance at Topsham?" The answer was unanimous, and the parade formed again and crossed over into Sagadahoc.

The purpose of this move was to get the students attending the Friday night dance there. Most of them left immediately but it took individual cheers to bring out a few. With the numbers thus increased the procession headed for Brunswick with the band rendering "Good Bye Girls." At the Cabot mill, a single line was formed, hand on shoulder, and it extended several blocks. About half the student body was in line. "Go get Maine" was the predominating note of the evening.

#### PORTLAND TO SEE PLAYERS FIRST

Mrs. Arthur Brown, the dramatic coach, has announced that the casts for "Pierre Patelin" and "Indian Summer" are definitely settled and Manager Colter '18, has begun to measure the members of the two casts for their costumes.

The "first night" for the two plays will occur at Portland, December 15, in Pythian Hall. It is expected that many of the Bowdoin men will be down as the plays will be followed by a dance.



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## The Team

Those who have been Bowdoin men long enough to be able to compare the football teams of recent years are full of praise for the work of the team this fall. While not champions, in earning second place in the State series they have shown an abundance of fighting spirit which has enabled them to outplay teams weighing ten to twenty pounds more per man. Some of the team, while suffering from injuries, have stayed in the game and pluckily done their best wherever they were wanted. If their example has been insufficient to prevent some from quitting in mid-season, they are the more to be praised for what they have done. Ably led and coached, they

have in every way proved the best Bowdoin team within five or six years. Next Saturday the team plays near home, near enough to allow practically every man to support it. A good number took the trip to Orono; a much larger number should be in Portland this week. Give the team your heartiest support in your last chance of the year.

## De Gogorza

The Saturday Club of Brunswick has done a great deal for the students in the past but never more so than in offering us the chance to hear Gogorza Thursday evening. Those who know, place him on the highest pedestal of male singers, and it is rare good fortune which gives us this opportunity to hear him so easily. The Saturday Club is working hard to make the concert a success and hopes sincerely for a large participation by the College. It is seldom that we get such opportunities and it is all the more desirable that we should appreciate them when they come. Every man owes it to himself to make a great effort to attend this recital.

## Communications

### LACK OF TRACK MANAGER MATERIAL

Conditions at Bowdoin have reached a very pitiable state when the fraternities refuse their support to one of the College's major sports. This condition now exists in regard to track. Not only has the squad itself been small, but the number of assistant managers sent out to represent the different fraternities is so small that it is practically impossible to carry on the work necessary for a successful track team. For example, when the dual Colby-Bowdoin cross-country race was to be held, the corps of three assistant managers, proved almost unable to do the work, as was to be expected and Friday night, due to the large amount of work at the field and the gymnasium, it was necessary to start putting out the flags after dark. The work could not be finished that night, and the few men working had to cut their classes and finish the work Saturday morning.

On the afternoon of the meet, it was necessary for the manager and assistant manager to compel some of their Freshmen to miss the game and go out on the course to check off the men at various points. This is but one of the many instances which have come up which makes doing the work for the track team the hard task of a few men.

We now have a winning cross-country team,

prospects are good for relay and spring track. It is the duty of the men of Bowdoin to support these teams. Conditions cannot go on as they are. There must be a change soon. You men are willing to sit in the grandstand and cheer a winning team and to crab a losing one, yet doing nothing toward making a winning team or to help a losing team to make good. The work of managing a track team properly cannot be done with the assistance now available.

A few of the fraternities have shown their spirit by sending out assistants. The Psi U, Zeta Psi, Kappa Sig., and Phi Theta Upsilon have men out. The following fraternities have done nothing to help in managing a winning track team, content to let other fraternities do the work:

Alpha Delta Phi, Delta Kappa Epsilon, Delta Upsilon, Beta Chi.

The management has almost begged these houses to help, yet nothing has been done. Are these houses going to be quitters in support of one of our major sports or are they going to show true Bowdoin spirit and do their share?

BOWDOIN COLLEGE TRACK ASSOCIATION.

#### THE OCTOBER QUILL

The significant feature of the current issue of the *Quill* is the verse. The writer of the quatrain, "To ———," achieves a distinction in the second pair of lines that would deserve high praise, save for one blemish that appears to show his failure to appreciate the richness of his own "find." When a "mighty race" approaches its "eve," that "eve" cannot "crown," though it may "dim" or "doom" it. Make some such alteration and conceive the blank in the title filled in as thus: "To a Modern Medusa," then feel the shiver from the four lines:

*There is na beauty matches thine.*

*No mortal form exceeds thy grace—*

*The hush that seals the battle-line,*

*The eve that (crowns) a mighty race.*

"A Threnody," too, attains high merit. The form, though intricate, is admirable; and the component parts should be noted. This form and the unusual rhyme interlacement would warrant exposition and comment—if readers cared for or needed such aid. Its only incompleteness is the failure to unite in rhyme lines 1 and 4. The reviewer is especially struck with the way in which the growing lassitude of mood is mirrored in the progressive shortening of lines, while the contradictory tendency of short lines to trip along briskly is skillfully overcome. For the sincerity of its mood-picture, its truthful utterance of the dumb mournfulness of many a soul that broods

on the Great Disaster of our day, it needs no verbal praise. The heart responds.

The prose of this issue of the *Quill* is facile, correct in form, smooth in phrase, but without distinction. The authors of "The Miracle" and "Slivers" long ago gave us reason to expect even excellence of literary workmanship, and it is pleasant to find a new writer—the author of "An Indian Legend"—qualifying in this respect. But from these practised editors we have now the right to look for a new step forward. What is wanting seems to be freshness of insight and a penetrating sincerity of feeling. It is well enough to practise with one's tools; but without these fundamentals no distinction in product,—so, at least, platitudinizes the reviewer.

C. T. B.

#### HOLY CROSS NEXT

The Holy Cross game at Portland next Saturday should prove to be a close, hard-fought struggle. Bowdoin has had an unusually good season, and although Holy Cross has met some admittedly stronger opponents, she too has a good record. Early in the season, the Worcester college fought out a hard game with Bates, winning by the narrow margin of 3-0. Bowdoin beat Bates 13-3 in the State series in a game where the White was clearly the master, but owing to the different periods of the season in which these games were played, no just conclusion can be drawn from their relative scores. Holy Cross has a team which has succeeded largely on account of its steady team work, and no one player can be picked out as an individual star, as has been the case with most teams which Bowdoin has opposed. In Quigley, however, Holy Cross has a fast end whose work in the open plays has been one of the Purple's strong points this season, and Foley, the Worcester team's half back and high scorer, is noted for his long runs down the field. The game at Orono last Saturday proved to be unfortunate for Bowdoin in the way of injuries, but if she can enter the next game with her lineup intact, Bowdoin should meet Holy Cross with at least an even chance to win.

#### NOT MANY STAY-AT-HOMES

Nearly 300 were at Orono Saturday to see Bowdoin play the last of the State series, about twice the number which made the trip two years ago. The Friday night celebration made many of the doubtful ones change their minds at the last minute and the attendance at Saturday morning classes was rather slender. Bowdoin had the last two coaches on the morning train, and many

made the trip by automobile. Upon arrival in Bangor there was a parade up Exchange street, and the special cars for Orono left at 12.30.

The game was started before the Bowdoin procession reached the field. Bowdoin had a section in the concrete bleachers near one end of the field, and there was some mighty good cheering under Marston and Sampson. After the game, Bowdoin was refused the right to march out of the field with band or banner. The majority returned from Bangor on the train reaching here at midnight. On the way up cheers were given for Colby on the platform of the Waterville station, and on the way back the dying embers of the fire celebrating the winning of the State championship could be seen.

#### NON-MEMBERS OF A. S. B. C.

The following are non-members of the A. S. B. C. and as such are not entitled to any of its privileges as set forth in its by-laws:

1917.—Bingham, Davison, Fenning, Harrison, Hone, Leatherbarrow, Little, Nevin, Ramsdell, J. W. Tuttle, H. S. White.

1918.—Buncamper, Kiegwin, F. O. W. King, W. H. Lane, Macdonald, O'Donnell, Palmer, Pierce, Roundtree, Sandford, E. S. C. Smith, M. J. Smith, Tang, B. A. Thomas, J. W. Thomas.

1919.—Albert, Avery, Barton, Boratis, B. Edwards, Foss, Irving, McCulloch, McDonald, McPherson, Morrison, Noyes, Pearson, C. E. Thomas, R. S. Turner.

1920.—C. E. Blake, Douglas, Draper, J. J. Sullivan, Thebeau.

#### GIFTS TO BIOLOGY MUSEUM

The Lee Museum of Biology has recently received three gifts: J. A. Cone of Brunswick contributed a valuable collection of Hawaiian Island ferns; the widow of the late John S. Towne of Brunswick a number of interesting shells and a group of mounted birds; and Rev. H. W. Winkley of Danvers, Mass., who last year gave a collection of New England shells, has added to it. Dr. Copeland has provided suitable locations for the various gifts.

Dr. Copeland has appointed Leland C. Wyman '18 to be "Honorary Custodian" of the museum's collection of fossils and fishes. A man is given this title who works for one or two years while in College on a group of animals,—arranging, labeling and preserving his group. After graduation he returns to the museum once each year to examine his collection and report upon its condition.

At the present time there are five custodians: Alton Pope '10 has charge of the mammals, Philip H. Pope '14 of the amphibians and reptiles, Alfred C. Kinsey '16 of insects, Laurence Irving '16 of birds, and L. C. Wyman '18 of fossils and fishes.

#### ONLY TWO HOLY CROSS GAMES BEFORE

Only twice in the past has Bowdoin played Holy Cross, and each college has a victory to its credit. In 1908, the two played in Portland and the game was a 12 to 5 victory for Holy Cross. The following year Bowdoin went to Worcester and defeated them on their home grounds 5 to 0. Since then there have been no football relations between the two colleges, and the game at Bay-side a week from Saturday will be watched with interest, for the two colleges have changed considerably in the past few years.

The first time that the two came together was on Oct. 17, 1908, at the old Pine Tree Park in South Portland. In the first quarter Bowdoin scored a touchdown and everything looked like a victory for the Maine eleven. At the beginning of the second half, Bowdoin made a fatal change of tactics, and runs by Driscoll and Burke for 50 yards each resulted in the two touchdowns which won the game. The individual star for Bowdoin was Frank A. Smith '12, later football captain, and at present captain of the Harvard Surgical Unit in France.

In the following year, Bowdoin had one of the strongest teams in recent years. It defeated Tufts, Maine, Bates, and Exeter, and made a good showing against Harvard and Dartmouth. The Holy Cross game was played at Worcester on Oct. 29, 1909. The ORIENT of the following week characterized it as the roughest and most desperate game which the team had played. It was the first time that season that Holy Cross had been defeated on its grounds. Since then the two colleges have not competed.

#### REPUBLICANS HEAR BIG SPEAKERS

Carroll L. Beedy *ex-'03* of Portland, County-Attorney elect, and ex-Governor William T. Cobb '77, presented the Republican view of the campaign issues at a rally in the Union last Thursday evening under the auspices of the Republican Club.

Mr. Beedy spent some time in discussing President Wilson's recent speech at Shadow Lawn, in which he stated the Democratic arguments for his re-election. The County-Attorney saw in the entire speech but one plank on which Wilson can



stand—the tariff. He claims that all others will not support him. Mr. Beedy then contrasted what he called Mr. Hughes's succinct statement of the Republican principles with the vague Shadow Lawn speech. In closing he quoted Owen Wister's article on the marked difference in the personality of the two men.

Ex-Governor Cobb received an exceedingly hearty welcome when Professor Mitchell, who presided, introduced him as "one of Maine's greatest governors and one of Bowdoin's most loyal and efficient trustees." He told the audience "I am a Republican because I believe in the high protective tariff, sordid and well-worn issue that it is." The other points of difference between Republicans and Democrats have passed away, he believes. He showed that the country has enjoyed all its periods of great prosperity under Republican regime. The policy of his party has worked out in the welfare of the wage-earner, and therefore that is the proper policy at this time of approaching severe competition from abroad.

#### AMENDMENT FOR COUNCIL CONSTITUTION

It is proposed to amend Article III of the Constitution of the Athletic Council by adding the following words:

"The Faculty Advisor on Athletics shall be a member of this body *ex-officio*."

So that the whole article reads as follows:

##### ARTICLE III. MEMBERSHIP

This Body shall be comprised of twelve (12) members, as follows, viz.:

Five (5) alumni; one of whom shall serve as chairman of this body;

Two (2) members of the Faculty;

Five (5) students; as provided in Article IV of the Constitution of the "Bowdoin College Athletic Association."

The Faculty Advisor on Athletics shall be a member of this body *ex-officio*.

#### LOWER CLASS DEBATES NEXT MONTH

The annual Freshman-Sophomore Debate will take place on Monday evening, December eighteenth, upon the question, "Resolved that the United States should adopt a system of universal military training."

Trials for the team will be held on Friday afternoon, November 17th, in the Debating Room of the Library. Each contestant will be allowed to speak for five minutes upon any phase of either side of the question. Four men (three principals and an alternate) will be chosen from each class to constitute the respective teams.

Freshmen and Sophomores intending to compete should hand in their names before November 15th, to one of the members of the Committee of Debating Council on Interclass Debates, Lane '17, Crane '17, or Foulke '19.

#### LATE COMERS

The following men have registered since the opening of College:

Maurice Wescott Avery (1919), Bath; Lawrence Hill Cate, Weymouth, Mass.; Paul Andrew Fitzgerald, Bath; John Reed Houghton, Bath; Don Theron Potter, Brunswick; Donald Clark Randall, Cutler.

#### SPECIAL STUDENTS

Joseph Lambert Cain, Medford, Mass.; Thomas Henry Lannon, Stoneham, Mass.; John Philip O'Donnell, Philadelphia, Penn.; Huan Shang Tang, Hankow, China.

#### LIBRARY GETS BOOKS BY ALUMNI

The following publications, written by alumni, have been received at the Library:

"Retrobulbar Neuritis with Central Scotonnia from Toxic Action of Thyroidin," by Myles Standish '75.

"Composition and Date of Acts" by Charles C. Torrey '84. Professor Torrey is professor of Semetic Languages at Yale. The book is published by the Harvard University Press.

"Pellagra: The Value of the Dietary Treatment of the Disease," by Joseph R. Ridlon '03, Past Assistant Surgeon of the United States Public Health Service.

"People's Banks," and "The Object of the Credit Union," both by Arthur H. Ham '08, and both published by the Russell Sage Foundation of New York City.

#### OTHER COLLEGE SCORES

The scores of the other teams on the Bowdoin schedule in their games last Saturday were:

Colby 23, Bates 7.

Amherst 14, Trinity 0.

Wesleyan 0, Williams 7.

Holy Cross 6, Rutgers 14.

Tufts 28, Mass. Aggies 0.

#### MEDIC FRATERNITY INITIATIONS

The annual initiation and banquet of the Phi Chi Medical Fraternity will be held at the Congress Square Hotel, Portland, Friday and Saturday. Dr. W. E. Tobie, Professor of Surgery in the Bowdoin Medical School, will act as toastmaster, and included in the list of speakers will be Drs. F. N. Whittier, H. H. Brock, W. B.



Moulton and C. E. Fogg.

The initiates, all from the class of 1920, are:

Adolph Anderson of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Edward Leo Herlihy of Bangor, Me.

Earl Stanley Hall of Springfield, Mass.

Hendrie Walter Grant of Calais, Me.

Ralph Bruce Thayer of Enfield, Mass.

Isaac Mervyn Webber of Weeks Mills, Me.

Winfield Emmons Wight of Milan, N. H.

No definite date has yet been decided upon for the Alpha Kappa Kappa initiation.

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	\$1,395 70	\$395 55

Total Expenditures	\$1,791 25
Surplus .....	551 35
	\$2,342 60

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Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT H. FOSTER,

Manager Bowdoin Publishing Company 1915-1916.

Audited April 4th, 1916.

WILMOT B. MITCHELL,

Faculty Auditor.

#### ENGLISH 5 DEBATING SCHEDULE

A schedule of debates has been arranged by Professor Davis for English 5. The first of these will be found of interest to the entire Bowdoin community and all students are welcome to attend. These debates will be held according to schedule in debating room at Hubbard Hall at 7 P. M. on the following topics:

Nov. 14: Should a coast artillery company be organized at Bowdoin.

Affirmative, Crane '17.

Negative, Gardner '19.

Nov. 21: Question relating to coöperative buying on part of fraternity stewards.

Affirmative, C. E. Allen '17 and Keubler.

Negative, Bowdoin '17 and Coburn '19.

Nov. 28: Question relating to curtailment of attendance at moving picture shows on part of Bowdoin students.

Affirmative, Coombs '18 and Spear '18.

Negative, Niven '17 and Young '18.

#### With the Faculty

Dr. Whittier, Professor Bell, Dr. Lippincott and Mr. McCormick witnessed the Bowdoin-Maine game at Orono last Saturday.

Professor Nixon was in Worcester, Mass., last week, where he represented Bowdoin College at the Convention of New England College Presidents held at Clark College.

Professor Nixon has been called away by the death of his father, and will probably be absent several days.

#### On the Campus

The Deutscher Verein meeting has been postponed for a week or two.

The midnight mails to Bath and Lewiston have been cancelled, and the mails to Bath may be cut down to two a day.

J. A. Clark '05 was on the campus last week for a short time. He is in the employ of the New

York Life Insurance Co.

After the incident of last spring, the number of College hoboes to the games has fallen off, and there was no "special train" to the Maine game.

In response to request from the schools in the Bowdoin Interscholastic Debating League, an effort is being made to organize triangular instead of dual debates.

The auditor of the University of Chicago was about the College Friday, in the interests of the General Education Board, investigating the methods of bookkeeping in educational institutions.

On Friday Coach Magee will speak at a rally, which is to be held in the Assembly Hall of the Portland High, to arouse the spirit and the enthusiasm of the students for track sports. The Portland team will be entered in the Bowdoin and Maine Meets.

Some of the fraternities are taking special steps to raise their scholarship by keeping the ranks of their members posted prominently.

Roland H. Eaton *ex-'17* has been on an automobile campaign for Hughes with about 70 other Tufts men during the past month.

Haskell '13 was *on the campus* last Saturday.

The walls of the Infirmary are practically completed and the floors will probably be tested this week, after which construction upon the roof and inerior of the building will progress rapidly.

Mailings for the first year men were issued yesterday.

Plans are being made for a trip to Portland Saturday, and there will probably be a parade down Congress street before the game.

The chorus has its first rehearsals this week. Professor Wass wishes to know the number of men as soon as possible in order that music may be secured.

An interesting scheme has been devised in English III of having the best themes from week to week mimeographed and placed in the hands of the class. These are filed and represent a journal of the best work. Singularly, a remarkable proportion of these contributions, to date, have been in verse.

Many are taking advantage of the excused cuts today to exercise the franchise at home. Some men have gone to Massachusetts, the Portland boys have gone home in force, and many of the others in the adjacent counties are voting.

The ORIENT's special wire for election news will not be working this evening, but the news will be received down street.

## Alumni Notes

'00.—George L. Pratt of Farmington, who has been with the Second Maine Regiment, in Texas for the past four months and only recently returned with the troops to Augusta to be mustered out of service, was *on the campus* Saturday and attended the football game.

'01.—Harold P. Vose has been transferred from Indianapolis to the Milwaukee office of Carl M. Hansen's Workmen's Compensation Bureau.

'11.—Rev. Willard H. Curtis has accepted the pastorate of the Congregational Church in Boothbay Harbor, Me. He is the youngest pastor to regularly occupy a pulpit in that town. For some time after his graduation from Bowdoin he was the assistant pastor in the Central Congregational Church of Jamaica Plain, Mass., and afterwards became pastor of a church in East Millinocket, Me. From there he went directly to Boothbay Harbor.

'15.—A. B. Stetson who is with the American Express Company in New York, has recently been appointed chief clerk of the Foreign Information Bureau.

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## '68 SPEAKERS CHOSEN

The following Seniors have been selected to participate in the '68 Prize Speaking:

Erik Achorn, Edwin Howard Blanchard, Clarence Henry Crosby, Francis William Jacob, David Alfonso Lane, Hal Saunders White.

## DEBATING TRIALS FRIDAY

Trials for the Freshman-Sophomore debate will be held in the debating room at Hubbard Hall on Friday at 4-30, according to the schedule posted on the bulletin board. Contestants will please watch board and be prompt in their attendance.

## THANKSGIVING SOCIAL

At a meeting of the Union Board held last Monday afternoon it was voted to hold a Thanksgiving Social in the Union on Thanksgiving afternoon for the men who are remaining in College during the vacation. This will take the place of social gathering of the past few years which has been held at some fraternity house. A very good time is planned and it is hoped that all who are to remain at College over Thanksgiving will, as far as possible, inform the committee. More detailed account of the plans will be published later. The committee in charge are: Professor Langley, Marston '17, and Cole '18.

## HOLY CROSS BATTERS BOWDOIN ELEVEN

With a light and injured team, Bowdoin put up a great fight against Holy Cross at Bayside Park in Portland Saturday. Bowdoin scored a field goal and a touchdown in the first quarter, but Holy Cross rolled up 19 points against these 10. Twice in the last quarter, Bowdoin touchdowns seemed in order, but the Worcester men held them off. With Captain Shumway out of the game entirely as a result of the Maine game, Chapman injured in the first minutes of play, and Peacock limping badly when he went into the game, Bowdoin lost the services of three of its stars. They managed to keep the ball most of the time and did some excellent line plunging. Holy Cross worked a triple pass successfully for good gains. The weather was good for football though a strong west wind affected the punting. The at-

tendance was good, the crowd being estimated at two thousand.

Badly crippled, Bowdoin played a much stronger game than the score shows.

On the whole, the White was a much more consistent ground-gainer than the Purple. Her collection of end runs and trick plays worked in good style, while Holy Cross, except for her momentary drives, found it hard to break through the Bowdoin defense. The Bowdoin team made 16 first downs as against nine for Holy Cross, and rushed the ball 230 yards to 200 for Holy Cross. Holy Cross received penalties amounting to 52 yards and Bowdoin lost but five in that way.

To Phillips, Bowdoin's 125 pound quarter back, goes the greatest praise for last Saturday's game. Playing in a backfield with such brilliant ground-gainers as Shumway and Peacock, the little quarter had not had an especially good opportunity to show his real offensive strength until last Saturday. Taking the ball in many of the plays where Captain Shumway has shone this season, Phillips made brilliant end runs and squirmed through holes in the line in remarkable fashion. Tackled by four or five men, he always came up on top until injured to such an extent in the third quarter that he had to be carried off the field. His end running was chiefly responsible for Bowdoin's only touchdown and nothing prettier could be asked for than his field goal in the first quarter.

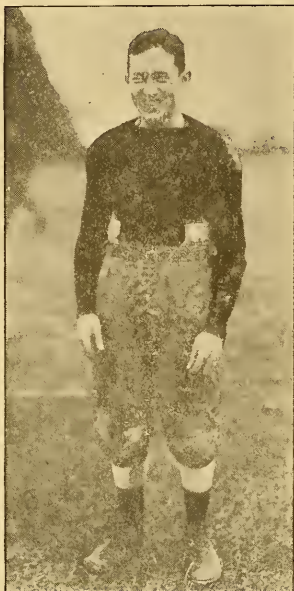
Drummond and Needelman also deserve much credit for the games they put up. Drummond caught a pretty forward pass for twenty yards, but most conspicuous on the defense, tackling many men for no gains or losses and recovering more than one fumble. Needelman was used at half-back position and quarter-back, and at both places handled himself well. Peacock, although suffering from a severely injured knee was sent in during the third period to bolster up the offense and as ever was one of Bowdoin's strongest cards in the attack.

Holy Cross had a beautiful triple pass which they worked twice to perfection. Foley and Daly were consistent ground-gainers with brilliant end runs and Cummings played a strong game at end.

As a whole, the Bowdoin team played excellently on the defense, except for the moments



when Holy Cross made her big drives which turned defeat into victory for them. On the offense, Bowdoin did well but seemed to lack the final punch to push the ball over. Holy Cross was outrushed but seemed to hold at the critical points, and held Bowdoin off from what might have been four touchdowns and victory for the White.



**PHILLIPS**

**Played a Great Game as Acting Captain  
against Holy Cross**

#### FIRST PERIOD

After kicking outside at the 30 yard line on the first attempt, Holy Cross kicked to the 15 yard line where the ball was rushed back 10 yards by Doherty. Doherty through right tackle made no gain. On the first play, Chapman was badly hurt and after the second play was forced to leave the field, Drummond taking his place and Foster covering Drummond's end. Holy Cross was penalized five yards for offside. Sprague made three through the line. Bartlett ran 11 yards for

a first down. Two short gains by Doherty and Sprague and a beautiful forward pass to Drummond brought the ball to the 33 yard line. After two unsuccessful rushes and an incomplete forward pass, Phillips dropped back and dropped a beautiful kick over the Holy Cross goal posts. Score: Bowdoin 3, Holy Cross 0.

Bradford kicked to Holy Cross and on the rush back Daly of Holy Cross fumbled and it was Bowdoin's ball on the Holy Cross 40 yard line. Drummond recovering. Needelman was sent in for Doherty. Consistent line bucking and end runs by Phillips gave Bowdoin a first down. After a few unsuccessful plays, a forward pass to Drummond was intercepted by Daly who brought it back to the 12 yard line. Consistent gaining and end runs brought the ball to Bowdoin's 14 yard line. A 15 yard penalty for holding and a poor pass which went over the full-back's head finally gave the ball to Bowdoin on downs on the Holy Cross 30 yard line. A few line smashes and a succession of beautiful end runs by Phillips gave Bowdoin her touchdown. Phillips carrying the ball over. Bartlett kicked the goal. Score: Bowdoin 10, Holy Cross 0.

Bradford kicked to Daly who rushed the ball back to the 31 yard line, where Holy Cross started rushing the ball steadily down the field to Bowdoin's 44 yard line when the period ended.

#### SECOND PERIOD

After being tackled by Drummond for a nine yard loss, Fitzpatrick kicked to Bowdoin who let the ball go for a touchback and play was resumed on Bowdoin's 20 yard line. After making first down twice, Bowdoin was forced to punt. Holy Cross was unable to make much headway and punted to Needelman on the 45 yard line. After making first down, Bowdoin was held for distance on the Holy Cross 28 yard line. A long end run by Foley on a recovered fumble brought the ball to Bowdoin's 40 yard line where a couple of pretty triple passes and a few end runs gave Holy Cross her first touchdown. The kick-out was dropped and Holy Cross lost her chance at goal from touchdown. Score: Bowdoin 10, Holy Cross 6.

Fitzpatrick kicked to Bartlett who rushed back five yards and the half ended.

#### THIRD PERIOD

Bradford kicked to Foley who ran back 20 yards. Bradlee went in for Fitzpatrick. An end run by Foley and a dash through a broken field by Higgins gave Holy Cross her second touchdown of the game, within the first three minutes of play. The attempt at goal failed. Score: Bowdoin 10, Holy Cross 12.

After receiving the kick-off, Holy Cross could make no gain and was forced to punt from her 40 yard line. The ball went over the Bowdoin line and was placed on her 20 yard line. Phillips was forced to punt. The kick was blocked; rolled to the 33 yard line and was recovered by Holy Cross. All plays through the line were stopped, but Higgins made a 15 yard pass to Cummings who ran the remainder of the distance for the last Holy Cross touchdown. The attempt at goal was this time successful. Score: Bowdoin 10, Holy Cross 19.

Bowdoin received the kick-off and immediately made two first downs. The Holy Cross line then held and Phillips kicked to Foley on the 25 yard line. Holy Cross was penalized 15 yards for holding and on the next play fumbled, Bradford recovering. Peacock sent in for Needelman. Bowdoin rushed the ball to the Holy Cross nine yard line, but was unable to push the ball over for a touchdown, failing by a foot only. Foley then made a long punt to Bowdoin's 20 yard line. Phillips was laid out and was replaced at quarter by Crockett. The period ended with the ball in Bowdoin's possession on her own 42 yard line.

#### FOURTH PERIOD

Needelman replaced Crockett at quarter. A succession of rushes by Needelman, Bartlett and Peacock, advanced the ball to Holy Cross's 18 yard line, Bowdoin having started from her own 20 yard mark. Again the Holy Cross line held and Bradford missed his try for a field goal. Holy Cross tried a few smashes at Bowdoin's line without success and in an attempted lateral pass, Drummond recovered the ball on the eight yard line. Merrill was sent in for Foster and Stewart replaced Rhoads. For the third time the Holy Cross team held and Bowdoin lost her last chance for a touchdown. After a few plays, Holy Cross punted to Needelman who rushed the ball back fifteen yards. A few more plays and the game was over. Score: Bowdoin 10, Holy Cross 19.

#### The summary:

HOLY CROSS	BOWDOIN
Quigley, Connors, le . . . re, Chapman, Drummond	
Conway, Povah, lt . . . . . rt, Turner	
Lynch, lg . . . . . rg, Oliver	
Kelley, Cook, Wallingford, c . . . . . c, Small	
McCulloch, rg . . . . . lg, Rhoads, Stewart	
Zimmerman, rt . . . . . lt, Bradford	
Cummings, re . . . le, Drummond, Foster, Merrill	
Walsh, Higgins, qb	

qb, Phillips, Crockett, Needelman	
Daly, Foley, lhb . . . . . rhb, Sprague	
Fitzpatrick, Bradley, Maloney, rhb	

lhb, Doherty, Needelman, Peacock  
 Mitchell, Foley, fb . . . . . fb, Bartlett  
 Score: Holy Cross 19, Bowdoin 10. Touchdowns, Foley, Cummings, Higgins, Phillips. Goal from field, Phillips. Goal from touchdowns, Cummings, Bartlett. Referee, McGrath. Umpire, Burke. Field judge, McCarthy. Head linesman, Hooper. Time, 15 minute quarters.

#### MAINE WINS CROSS-COUNTRY AS USUAL

The Maine Intercollegiate Cross-Country race was run over the five mile course at Lewiston Friday afternoon. Maine finished with four men among the first seven and won with 24 points. Bates was second with 46 points, Bowdoin next with 62, and Colby last with 90 points.

The work of Herrick of Maine was the big surprise of the game. Lane of Bates was the second to cross the line. Though Bowdoin was deprived of the services of one of her best runners, Brown, through the one year rule, she did very creditable work, Cleaves '20 finishing in sixth place just 35 seconds after Herrick. Colby's first man was in the eleventh position.

There were few sprinting finishes, the field being strung out, though seven men were within the first 45 seconds. Tooker of Colby, the last man to place, finished the five miles in 32 min. 10 sec.

#### How the men finished:

Herrick, Maine, 28m, 15s; Lane, Bates, 28m 25s; Dempsey, Maine, 28m 27s; Wunderlich, Maine, 28m 35s; Gregroy, Bates, 28m 45s; Noyes, Bowdoin, 28m, 52s; Preti, Maine, 28m 54s; Jenkins, Bates, 29m 22s; Emery, Maine, 29m 25s; Cleaves, Bowdoin, 29m 35s; P. Thompson, Colby, 30m 10s; Crane, Bowdoin, 30m, 24s; M. Thompson, Colby, 30m 27s; Fillmore, Bowdoin, 30m 41s; White, Bates, 30m 42s; Turner, Bates, 30m 50s; Libby, Maine, 31m 4s; King, Maine, 31m 17s; Everetts, Colby, 31m 24s; Mosher, Bowdoin, 31m 27s; Larkum, Bates, 31m 28s; DeWolfe, Bates, 31m 50s; Maddox, Colby, 32m; Tooker, Colby, 32m 10s; O'Donnell, Bowdoin, 35m 37s; Smith, Bowdoin, 36m.

#### FRIARS TAKE IN TWO MORE

The Friars had an initiation last Saturday night in Portland. The new members are Karl A. Woodman '18 and Stanwood L. Hanson '18. Besides all active members, two alumni were present, Dwight H. Sayward '16 and Edward R. Elwell '15. After the banquet at the Congress Square the members had a theatre party at Keith's.

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## What Is the Matter?

There is matter for serious consideration in the communication from Mr. Jenks, printed in this issue. This is not the first intimation we have received that something is the trouble with us, and it is not likely to be the last. Regarding the specific points mentioned in the letter, we are glad to say that Bowdoin was well represented at Orono, a week ago, though a special train was not secured, and that the Maine game tie reflected great credit on the plucky, up-hill fight of a light, inexperienced team.

But that there is something behind all this, something seriously wrong, no fair-minded observer can deny. Ask the football men what they think of the twenty-odd quitters who came out for practice at the first of the season but have

not now been seen in a football suit for weeks. Where are the second and third elevens to fill the vacancies caused by injuries and provide the material for next fall? That Coach Weatherhead has been able to instill a fighting spirit into ten or twelve men reflects no credit on the four hundred odd who have sat back and let him do it unaided.

Ask the track coach and management what they think of a student body that provides four Freshmen candidates for an important managerial post and expects a scanty squad of faithful workers to win laurels for the rest of us to brag about. The athletic success of this College is based on participation by many, not on dependence on a few.

Ask the impartial visitor to a Bowdoin game what he thinks of your cheering section. Let him compare your feeble attempts at singing or your half-hearted cheers with the whole-hearted participation of other colleges he has observed and then refrain from asking his opinion if you wish to retain any of your self-satisfaction. Blame whom you will, something is terribly wrong with a system that results no better than does ours at present.

Ask the faculty members or alumni who have been urged to speak at rallies, told to stir up our spirit, what they think of a student body that can muster barely twelve per cent of its numbers for an hour before a crucial game in a close fight for the Maine state championship. If they conclude that we prefer moving picture shows and Topsham dances to showing a little of the spirit of which we are so wont to boast, can we blame them? Can we blame alumni and outsiders alike for thinking that we have deteriorated from healthy young men into devotees of tea-drinking and the dance? Are they at fault for believing that we are fast decaying into soft, sissy-like weaklings and for longing to restore us to ourselves?

Such thoughts do not come easily to the habitual loafer and crab, nor do they look well in print. We regret the necessity of referring to these conditions, but we believe we are no longer justified in neglecting them. If we can succeed in pricking the bubble of self-esteem and idle contentment which looms so large among us easy-chair cynics, there may yet be hope for our College and ourselves. We do not feel that we are over-emphasizing things athletic when we speak thus; the attitude of mind which we are attacking is one which endangers us in every line of endeavor, in our studies, our sports, and our life-work. There must be some way out of a situation so utterly repugnant to old Bowdoin

men; for your own sakes, find it and follow it and awoken from the apathy which is threatening to overwhelm you with its depths of stagnation and uselessness.

## Communications

*To the Editor of the ORIENT.*

Dear Sir:—

It is with considerable interest that I read your paper each week and from it learn how things are at Bowdoin.

In your issue of Oct. 24th you made reference to the student body being told of "The great Bowdoin victories and spirit of the old days." In your next issue of October 31st you gave an article headed "Special train doubtful" and another reads, "Six fraternities have already decided upon Thanksgiving dances."

Don't you think it would gladden an old "grad's" heart to read Special Train for Orono Decided Upon and Six Fraternity Dances Doubtful.

To an outsider it looks this year as if the student body were going to set back and feed their teams dope on the College spirit that used to be and pass up the opportunity of developing a new and better College spirit.

From your previous issues I gathered that Maine looked like an easy victory and this morning when I got my paper imagine my surprise to find the score a tie.

I haven't a doubt but every man who played on the team, played for every ounce there was in him, but unless the student body do their part behind their teams, victories are bound to be few and far between.

Get busy fellows and instead of handing out talk about what the old College spirit used to be, make some of your own and let the teams which represent you live on what is, and not what used to be.

Yours respectfully,  
CHAS. F. JENKS '06.

### HOWARD ROLLIN IVES '98

The Alumni Council of Bowdoin College, meeting in Portland under the shadow cast by the sudden death of one of its most honored members, desires to place on record an expression of the loss which it has sustained, although it comes in such a personal way to all that the usual formal resolutions seem more than ever inadequate. A graduate of the College class of 1898, and of the Harvard Law School, a lawyer fast rising to eminence in his own city, Howard R.

Ives brought to the deliberation of the Council not only the loyal and affectionate interest of a devoted son of the College but the mature judgment of a man well trained in affairs. Elected to the Council, as one of its original members, he worked unselfishly and strongly for the highest interests of the College. For example, to him was largely due the effective organization of the Bowdoin Student Loan Association recently started: he wrote its by-laws, organized the corporation and saw with satisfaction the beginning of an agency that will help many worthy boys to secure a college education. Himself an athlete of skill, an old football and tennis varsity man, he took a lively interest in the athletics of the College and in clean sportsmanship. Of his personal qualities, the charm of his manner, the sincerity and integrity of his character, this is not the place for extended words. The Council can not however refrain from stating that to all of us he seemed to embody the best traditions of the American college graduate. He gave of his talents freely, not only to his college but to the community, at the same time devoting himself absolutely to his profession. But more important than the services which he rendered or the distinction which he attained is the life that he lived, exemplified as it was by independence of thought, by maturity of judgment, by hard work and above all, by unswerving loyalty to friends and ideals.

### ALUMNI COUNCIL MEETS

The regular fall meeting of the Alumni Council was held last Saturday, Nov. 11 at the Cumberland Club, Portland, with the following members present: Messrs. Dana, Robinson, Snow, Spear, Andrews, Roberts, Wheeler, Mitchell, Sills and Chapman. Mr. Phillip Dana was re-elected president for the ensuing year, and Mr. George P. Hyde was chosen secretary.

The committee on the Alumni Loan Fund reported that the association had been incorporated and was beginning to work. Mr. Snow presented a plan for the "week-end Commencement." The Council was of the opinion that the plan was worthy of consideration, so the committee was continued and urged to ascertain the sentiment of the alumni with regard to the plan.

According to this plan Class Day would come on Friday. General meetings now scheduled for Wednesday, the President's Reception, and the Dramatic Club performance would be on Saturday, and on Sunday would be held the Baccalaureate sermon, and an opportunity for informal reunions. Commencement Day would come on Monday.



The Council also took up the plan of proper methods of publicity and was of the opinion that the College was very much behind in the matter of getting newspaper reports before the public. Mr. Roberts of New York presented a plan for a press bureau with its central office in Brunswick, which would work in coöperation with the student and graduate reporters and the representatives of the various Alumni Associations. As time for discussion was limited Mr. Roberts was asked to make the plan definite and present it at the next meeting of the Council.

The Council voted to have brief bulletins prepared for meetings of the Alumni Associations so that at various dinners the alumni could be informed of its activity. The next meeting will be held in Boston in February, probably at the time of the Boston dinner.

The meeting of the Council was saddened by the death the day before of one of its members, Howard R. Ives, '98.

#### MUNICIPAL TALK BY DR. CLEVELAND

Dr. Frederick A. Cleveland, director of the Bureau of Municipal Research, New York City, will speak in the Bowdoin Union next Monday evening at 8 p. m., on "Efficiency in Municipal Business." Dr. Cleveland is widely known as an author of a number of valuable works on municipal government and as an expert advisor to municipal officers. He received a Ph.D. from the University of Pennsylvania in 1900. He has been the director of the Bureau of Municipal Research, New York City, since 1907 and was chairman of President Taft's "Committee on Economy and Efficiency" in 1911. Among the more noteworthy books written by Dr. Cleveland are "Municipal Administration and Accounting;" "Railroad Promoting and Capitalization," and "Organized Democracy."

The opportunity of hearing Dr. Cleveland at Bowdoin is made possible through the kindness of an anonymous alumnus, who is especially interested in good government.

#### PLIMPTON TO SPEAK ON EDUCATION

On Thursday evening at eight o'clock the College will have the opportunity of hearing an address by George A. Plimpton, head of the well known publishing concern, Ginn & Company, on the subject *Education From the Time of Shakespeare*. Mr. Plimpton is well known not only as a business man, but as an educator as well and his interest in educational institutions is extensive. He has presented this address to the students of many of the leading colleges of the

country such as Amherst, his own college, Vassar and Columbia.

Mr. Plimpton is a book collector of note and has a large library of old, rare books. He will bring 35 of these to Brunswick for inspection by the audience. They are supposed to be books which Shakespeare had access to in his day.

The address is held under the auspices of the Saturday Club and although the regular admission is fifty cents, students may attend free.

#### AGAIN THE COUNCIL AMENDMENT

The constitution of the Athletic Council requires that a proposed amendment to the Constitution appear in two issues of the ORIENT. Once more:

It is proposed to amend Article III of the Constitution of the Athletic Council by adding the following words:

"The Faculty Advisor on Athletics shall be a member of this body ex-officio."

So that the whole article reads as follows:

#### ARTICLE III. MEMBERSHIP

This Body shall be comprised of twelve (12) members, as follows, viz.:

Five (5) alumni; one of whom shall serve as chairman of this body;

Two (2) members of the Faculty;

Five (5) students; as provided in Article IV of the Constitution of the "Bowdoin College Athletic Association."

The Faculty Advisor on Athletics shall be a member of this body ex-officio.

#### PROSPECTS FOR THE LAST GAME

Bowdoin's last, and in many ways her hardest game, comes next Saturday when the team meets Tufts at Medford. The Tufts team has made a remarkable record this past season, one that is envied by many of the larger colleges. The Medford team first attracted attention at the beginning of the season, when it sent Harvard down to defeat to the tune of 7-3, clearly outplaying and outguessing the Cambridge eleven. Since then, Tufts has met many other strong teams and has defeated them all with the exceptions of Princeton and Springfield Y. M. C. A. College. Princeton defeated Tufts 3-0, by a field goal in an evenly-played contest which certainly shows no weakness in Tufts. The Springfield Y. M. C. A. College defeated Tufts last Saturday by the score of 13-6.

Wescott is probably the Tufts individual star, for in every game so far, he has made a run of over forty yards and has scored most of Tufts' touchdowns. Hopkins is an invaluable quarter-

back who is a chief factor in Tufts' trick plays. The Medford college is acknowledged to be a past master at the open play and her series of shifts, double passes and lateral passes have bewildered every opponent this season.

Bowdoin will enter the game minus the services of Captain Shumway, as in the Holy Cross game, but it is thought that Chapman, Peacock and Phillips will be in good enough condition to stand the game. If so, Bowdoin should make a strong showing. The team has a collection of trick plays which have been successful this season, and while undeniably weaker than Tufts, it would not be at all surprising to see a close, hard-fought game. Bowdoin proved in the Colby game to be strong defenders under her own goal posts and if she can solve the Medford college's method of attack, the game should be interesting from start to finish.

#### PAST GAMES WITH TUFTS

Bowdoin has played 18 games with Tufts and out of this number she has won six to Tufts' 12. There has never been a tie between these two teams and in all Tufts has 290 points to Bowdoin's 112 points.

1889	Tufts	8	Bowdoin	4
1891	Tufts	18	Bowdoin	16
1894	Tufts	4	Bowdoin	14
1896	Tufts	0	Bowdoin	4
1897	Tufts	20	Bowdoin	8
1898	Tufts	11	Bowdoin	18
1899	Tufts	6	Bowdoin	0
	Tufts	17	Bowdoin	5
1900	Tufts	0	Bowdoin	5
1905	Tufts	10	Bowdoin	0
1906	Tufts	12	Bowdoin	5
1907	Tufts	19	Bowdoin	2
1908	Tufts	10	Bowdoin	11
1909	Tufts	0	Bowdoin	6
1912	Tufts	34	Bowdoin	0
1913	Tufts	27	Bowdoin	7
1914	Tufts	60	Bowdoin	17
1915	Tufts	34	Bowdoin	0
Total	Tufts	290	Bowdoin	112

#### WORK ON INFIRMARY PROGRESSING WELL

The materials for the construction of the new Bowdoin Infirmary are arriving on schedule time and the contractors, F. A. Rumery & Company, of Portland, are rapidly pushing the work. This firm also built the Deke House, and the homes of Prof. Files and Mr. Baxter. It is using local gravel on this job, which is considered to be of the very best quality for such concrete work as

that in the Infirmary. Local masons are doing the brick and concrete work; in fact, the present boss mason also had charge of the masonry of the new Gymnasium.

The Infirmary is to be throughout an absolutely fireproof building, three stories high, with a tar and gravel roof. The original plan of building the Infirmary two and a half stories in height was abandoned in order to give more room and an appearance uniform with the Gymnasium.

Dr. Whittier has kept, during the past few years, a record of all men in school who have been sick enough to need a doctor's attention. He has found that during no one year has there been more than twelve fellows ill. The new building will have six wards of two beds each, thus providing for twelve men at one time. On the south side is a solarium for the use of convalescents. The walls are now nearly up and the roof should go on shortly. The contractors expect to begin plastering the first of February.

#### A. S. B. C. REPORT

##### SEASON 1915-1916

##### RECEIPTS

Tax, 1st semester (347 men) .....	\$2,593 00
Tax, 2nd semester (including partial payments) .....	2,000 10
Balance from 1914-1915 .....	10 03
Total .....	\$4,803 13

##### EXPENDITURES

Athletic Council for	
Football .....	\$1,400 00
Baseball .....	1,100 00
Track .....	1,225 00
Tennis .....	175 00
Fencing .....	15 00
Bowdoin Publishing Co. ....	300 00
Christian Association .....	187 50
Debating Council .....	185 00
Band .....	185 00
Student Council .....	25 00
Balance on deposit (First National Bank) .....	5 63

Total ..... \$4,803 13

Respectfully submitted

MANTON COPELAND,

*Treasurer.*

Date—Sept. 7, 1916.

I have examined the accounts of the Treasurer of the A. S. B. C. and find them accurately kept. The above is a correct statement.

A. H. MACCORMICK,

*Auditor.*

## GEOGRAPHICAL DISTRIBUTION

## OF STUDENTS

Maine .....	299
Massachusetts .....	74
New Hampshire .....	10
New York .....	10
Connecticut .....	8
Rhode Island .....	6
New Jersey .....	3
District of Columbia .....	4
Pennsylvania .....	3
Indiana .....	2
Washington .....	2
Wisconsin .....	2
England .....	1
Colorado .....	1
Idaho .....	1
Illinois .....	1
Georgia .....	1
Montana .....	1
Texas .....	1
Virginia .....	1
China .....	1
Canada .....	1
Dutch West Indies .....	1

Total .....	434
Percentage from Maine .....	68.9
Percentage from outside Maine .....	31.1
States represented .....	18

It is interesting to compare these figures with those of the last few years which follow:

Year	No. from Maine	No. from outside Maine	Per cent from Maine	Per cent from outside Maine
1904-1905	244	36	87.1	12.9
1905-1906	231	50	82.2	17.8
1906-1907	230	59	78.6	20.4
1907-1908	235	70	77.0	23.0
1908-1909	254	94	73.0	27.0
1909-1910	251	95	72.5	27.5
1910-1911	251	87	74.0	26.0
1911-1912	248	85	74.5	25.5
1912-1913	241	92	72.4	27.6
1913-1914	244	114	68.2	31.8
1914-1915	261	136	65.5	34.5
1915-1916	269	131	67.3	32.7
1916-1917	299	135	68.9	31.1
Average	251	91	73.4	26.6

## PHI BETA KAPPA DINNER NEXT MONTH

As a result of a suggestion made at the annual meeting of the Alpha Chapter of Maine of Phi Beta Kappa here last June to the effect that it would be desirable to hold a get-together of all

members of the fraternity residing in Maine, the chapter has just completed plans for a dinner to be held on the evening of Dec. 5, the birthday of the fraternity.

The committee is desirous of having all members of any chapter of the fraternity present at the dinner, and as many of the members from out of the state are not known, the committee would consider it a favor if they would send in their names and addresses to the president of the Alpha Chapter, F. H. Gerrish, LL.D., 675 Congress St., Portland. The members of the Beta chapter at Colby will also be present at the dinner.

## FRESHMEN MAY RACE AT HANOVER

Although it has not been definitely decided, it is very probable that Bowdoin will accept the invitation to participate in the inter-collegiate cross-country race at Hanover this fall. The interest in the race has been heightened by the offering of individual cups to the first five men to finish and also cups to the first three teams. Record times are predicted in this race. O'Connell of Harvard, the former Exeter star, and Gorton of Dartmouth, holder of the interscholastic record of 1:56 for the half mile should prove dangerous men. Bowdoin however this season has one of the fastest teams in years and judging from recent time trials, should be a close contender for the laurels.

## THE LIBRARY TABLE

During the past few weeks the Library has procured some volumes which are especially deserving of space on the shelves. There is a volume recently published entitled: "Advance of the English Novel" by William Lyon Phelps, Professor of English Literature at Yale University. The book is especially interesting and more so, in that Professor Phelps will be with us on December first and eighth respectively, to deliver the Annie Talbot Cole Lectures.

There are several timely and excellent books of especial interest to College men, dealing with the presidency, the president, political parties, conditions and questions and gives us "Wilson in the Issue," by ex-President Taft, "The Presidency" and "Our Chief Magistrate" by Henry Ford.

Besides the foregoing, there are many works on the world war, its conditions, aspects and meaning. Roosevelt writes a most instructive book on, "America and the World War." Ian Hay's "The First Hundred Thousand." Hugh Walpole's historical novel of the war, called,

"The Dark Forest," portrays with vividness and instructs one intelligently concerning the happenings of the titanic struggle. Baldwin presents, "American Neutrality." Then there are 14 volumes, written in French, concerning the war.

In addition to these there is a timely book by Franck entitled: "Tramping Through Mexico." It gives us glimpses of the country and brings nearer to the heart of each American the obstacles which Pershing's expeditionary force is meeting.

Rankin gives us a new book entitled: "Personal Recollections of Abraham Lincoln."

A book of especial educational value is Kituff's "The Private Secretary."

#### DE GOGORZA SINGS TO CROWDED HALL

Emilio de Gogorza, the world-famous baritone, gave a long-to-be-remembered concert at the Brunswick Town Hall last Thursday evening, under the auspices of the Saturday Club. The singer was in fine voice and rendered 15 numbers: La Partida, Diane Impitoyable "Iphigenie en Aulide," On the Seashore of Endless Worlds, The Pipes of Pan, Par le Sentier, The Moon Drops Low, Invictus, and an encore number "Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes," being among the happy selections of his program. Miss Helen Winslow accompanied the artist.

De Gogorza is under the management of the Wolfsohn Musical Bureau of New York, who arranged with the Saturday Club for his appearance here. He and his wife, Emma Eames, have their home in Bath, which fact made his coming of even more interest to local people.

A number of Bowdoin men acted as ushers, and both faculty and student body were well represented.

#### COSTUMES COMING FOR DRAMATISTS

The rehearsals for "Pierre Patelin" and "Indian Summer" are being pushed vigorously. Mrs. Arthur Browne is conducting, on the average, three rehearsals a week for each play. The opening date coming so soon, together with Thanksgiving week intervening, gives a very short time for a thorough preparation. Things are well under way however and the costumes and scenery are being looked after as well as the drilling of the cast.

The costumes, which are rich and fanciful, are being made by George P. Raymond, Boston, Mass. These costumes aid greatly in giving the proper tone and color touch to the play.

The scenery is being constructed by Brunton of the Brunton Studio Co., who builds the scen-

ery for Joseph Urban of the celebrated New York "Follies."

#### PHI CHI INITIATION BANQUET

The Phi Chi Medical Fraternity held their annual initiation and banquet last week at Portland. The first degree was given on Friday night and the second degree and banquet followed respectively on Friday night at the Congress Square Hotel.

Dr. W. E. Toby of Portland was toastmaster, and the following is the list of speakers:

Dr. F. N. Whittier.

Dr. H. D. MacNichol of Bangor, Me.

William D. Anderson '17, Portland.

A. G. Ireland '18, Cambridge.

Daniel Mannix '19, Portland.

Adolph Anderson 20, Brooklyn, N. Y.

#### NEW GYM INSTRUCTORS

Adolph Anderson of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Earl S. Hall of Springfield, Mass., have been engaged to instruct the gymnasium classes for the coming season.

Anderson is a graduate of Springfield Y. M. C. A. College in the class of 1916. While in college he established quite a reputation as a gymnast, besides being connected with varsity football.

Hall, since leaving Springfield Y. M. C. A. College, has been for three years assistant gymnasium instructor and football coach at Wesleyan. When in college Hall played center on the varsity team.

#### Y. M. C. A. NOTES

There will be a meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Cabinet this evening at the Beta House.

The Christian Association is in need of a few more good men to teach night school. This is worthy of consideration. Any who will volunteer, notify Professor Langley as soon as possible.

At the night school recently Professor Hormell spoke on "The Proceedings of Naturalization" and gave a description of the Maine ballot.

A collection of clothing will be taken up for the French Wounded Relief the latter part of next week.

#### UNION NOTES

It was voted to grant the use of the Union to the Alpha Delta Phi Fraternity for their Christmas dance December 21.

During the Thanksgiving vacation various repairs are to be made on the floor of the Union.



The collection of records for the victrola at the Union has been added to recently by the donation of three records by Cutler '20. The Union Board desire to express their thanks for the donation.

It is proposed to have a series of musical nights under the direction of the Union by the Musical Clubs.

### On the Campus

About 40 students went home to vote Tuesday. The Biology Club last night held their first meeting this fall.

Many made the trip to the Bowdoin-Holy Cross game in Portland Saturday by auto.

The cover of the latest Maine Library Bulletin has a portrait of Mr. Wilder on it.

A sonorous tin horn prematurely announced the election of Mr. Hughes at midnight Tuesday.

Mooers '18 has been selected as reader for the Musical Clubs and McGorrill will be instrumental soloist.

Members of the Alumni Council attended the Holy Cross game in a body after their session Saturday.

At the first review of classes last week 15 major and 42 minor warnings were issued to the Freshmen.

D. F. Snow '01, was on the campus Saturday.

Phillip Dana '96 was in town Thursday for the De Gororza concert.

Mr. Wilder will attend a meeting of the New England Club of Library Commission Workers at Augusta this Thursday.

Assignments to the ORIENT reporters will be given out Monday evenings from 6:30 to 7 hereafter instead of Tuesday evenings.

Professor Cram read a paper before the Town and College Club Friday evening at a meeting at the home of the Rev. Chauncey Goodrich.

On the all-Maine teams picked so far, Chapman and Shumway seem to be a pretty unanimous choice, with Phillips, Peacock and Small also mentioned.

A recent visitor on the campus was Kieth N. Pearson, formerly of 1911. He is at present located in Brooklyn, N. Y., with the Morse Dry Dock & Repair Co., 55th and 57th Streets.

After the concert Thursday evening, Mr. De Gororza and his wife, Madame Emma Eames de Gororza, met many of the members of the faculty at a reception at the home of Miss Anna Smith.

Carroll L. Milliken '20 of North Saco, a mem-

ber of the Bowdoin Club, has left College on account of the illness of his father.

Fay ex-19 was on the campus Sunday, having just returned from the border. He expects to register after Thanksgiving.

The newsboys outside chapel did a rushing business while the election results were in doubt. Their average sales are less than 40 a morning, but last week they were on hand with a cart and sold over a hundred each morning.

The Thanksgiving dances will come as follows: Theta Delta Chi on Friday, Nov. 24, and on Tuesday, Nov. 28, Zeta Psi, Delta Upsilon, Beta Theta Pi, and a joint dance of Psi Upsilon and Delta Kappa Epsilon at the Psi U. house.

The College Catalogue will be ready for distribution about Thanksgiving time. The list of students has been placed in the library in order that any necessary corrections may be made.

The College was fortunate in getting prompt and accurate election news service by wireless last week. The bulletins came every hour and described all developments in the political situation. Little '17 and Burleigh '19 operated the wireless.

The Bowdoin chorus will have its first rehearsal and enrollment Thursday evening at seven in Memorial Hall. About 50 names of those desirous of membership in the chorus have already been handed to Professor Wass. The new music has arrived and the work is planned to be instructive and enjoyable.

Says the *Tufts Weekly*, "Dr. Neal has succeeded in raising three giant redwood trees. They have already attained the height of an inch, having been planted about two months ago.... No doubt they will witness a Bowdoin football victory over Tufts if they are granted an exceptionally long life." Tufts had a championship baseball team last spring, too.

## DANCING

### JENNIE S. HARVEY MODERN DANCING

Latest changes in Fox Trot, One Step, and Waltz Canter.

Private instruction by appointment individually or small classes. Evening class for young people opens at Court Room, Brunswick, Tuesday, Nov. 14th, 7.30 to 10 o'clock. Address 26 Garden St., Bath. Phone 454-R.

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## HOUSER SIGNED UP FOR NEXT SEASON

Manager Franklin D. MacCormick made a trip to Litchfield over the week-end, and returned with a contract for Ben Houser to coach baseball again next Spring. Houser produced a championship team at Colby in 1915, did great work here last Spring, and has been successful at Skowhegan with the team there.

## PRIZE MONEY RETURNED

A recent graduate of the College last week sent a check for two thousand dollars for the general scholarship fund. He stated that during his College course he had received in scholarships and prizes, two thousand dollars above his tuition, and feeling this a debt of honor to the College, he returned the money.

## CLASS DEBATERS CHOSEN

There was plenty of competition for the class debating teams in the trials last Friday night. The Freshman candidates were more numerous than usual, and there were fully a dozen Sophomores. The results of the trials are:

Sophomores: Coburn, Foulke, Paul, and Greene, alternate.

Freshmen: Badger, Congreve, Taylor, and Skillings, alternate.

## CLEVELAND LECTURE POSTPONED

The lecture on "Efficiency in Municipal Business," which was to have been given last evening by Dr. Frederick A. Cleveland, director of the Bureau of Municipal Research, New York City, is postponed until further notice, owing to the illness of the speaker.

## MANDOLIN CLUB CHOSEN

From the 30 men out for the Mandolin Club, the following 16 have been picked:

First Mandolins: Haskell '18, Warren '18, Farrar '19.

Second Mandolins: Moulton '18, MacQuillan '18, Claff '18, Freese '18.

Mandas: Moore '20, Tillson '20.

Mando-Cello: Sutcliffe '17, Stetson '18, Richan '20.

Flute: Sturgis '19.

Violin: Philbrick '18, McGorrell '19.

Drums: E. W. Holbrook '19.

## ENTERTAINMENT FOR HANGOVER CLUB

The program for the Thanksgiving Social to be held in the Union on Thanksgiving afternoon for all men who are remaining in College during vacation has not yet been completed. It is now planned, however, to provide free pool, informal dancing and refreshments. The wives of the faculty will act as patronesses.

## TUFTS 25, BOWDOIN 0

Tufts scored four touchdowns against Bowdoin Saturday, but the crippled team from Brunswick fought well and were able to break up the heavy line of the Brown and Blue frequently, breaking up many of the plays. The casualty list was not as heavy as in the game of a week previous, and the men who were considered out of the game for the season fought well. An excellent end was discovered in Holbrook who played his first varsity game, and McNaughton, at center for the first time, was the stronghold of the line.

Tufts did not rely upon the open game which it has played against the larger college teams this year, but found that the heavy back field, with Doane conspicuous, was able to make as consistent gains as could be expected through the line. In fact, the passing game did not work very well and time and again forward passes were broken up for losses in plays in which Holbrook and Phillips figured.

Bowdoin played chiefly a line plunging game and surprised the Tufts outfit by ripping effective holes through the line. In the first period Bowdoin rushed the ball to the five yard line in the first few minutes of play, sweeping the heavy Tufts men off their feet. A touchdown was prevented by an incomplete forward pass which went over the line, giving Tufts the ball on the 20 yard line. In the third period Bowdoin started on the run again when Peacock broke through the Tufts line, cleared the secondary defense, and was well on his way for a touchdown when he was downed by the only man between him and a clear field. He netted 30 yards on the run. Immediately

afterward, Peacock took the ball again and made 20 yards more, but by this time the team was so worn out that it lacked the force to put the ball over.

Bowdoin entered the field with a crippled team, almost every man suffering from some injury sustained in the hard games with Maine and Holy Cross the weeks previous. Small, who has held down the center position so well since Stone was injured, was unable to play, and McNaughton, who took his place, put up probably the most brilliant game of any man on the team. His aggressive defensive work smothered many a Tufts play almost before it started. Chapman was obliged to sit on the bench most of the game because of his injured side, and only came in for a few seconds near the end of the game. Campbell was in the line again for the first time since the Wesleyan game and played a strong game.

Next to the good work of McNaughton, the fast defensive work of Holbrook, who made his debut in varsity football, was conspicuous. Holbrook played the entire game at left end and broke up many plays, particularly forward passes. Phillips played his usual good game at quarter, and intercepted several forward passes. Peacock figured with his long runs through the Tufts line. Bartlett played a strong defensive game. For Tufts, Doane, Keefe, Brown and Mitchell played well.

#### FIRST PERIOD

Bowdoin kicked off to Tufts and after some playing got the fall on a fumble. With a series of rushes, in which Bowdoin ripped great holes in the Tufts line, the White landed the ball on the five yard line. Tufts held strongly and on the fourth down Phillips threw an incomplete forward to Drummond over the line and the ball went to Tufts on the 20 yard line. Tufts then made two first downs, and punted to Bowdoin's 40 yard line. Bowdoin failed to gain and punted. Tufts then made a spurt and rushed down the field for a touchdown, Drummey carrying the ball over. An attempt to kick the goal failed. Bowdoin then kicked off to Tufts. Wescott punted the ball to the middle of the field, and after a couple of rushes by Bowdoin, Wescott intercepted a forward pass. The quarter ended with the ball in possession of Tufts on its own 40 yard line. The quarter was fairly even with Bowdoin holding well. Score: Tufts 6, Bowdoin 0.

#### SECOND PERIOD

The second period was more distinctly Bowdoin's period, if at any time Bowdoin may be said to have had the run on the Massachusetts team.

On the first play Tufts was penalized 15 yards for holding in a play in which Phillips intercepted a long forward pass. Bowdoin punted, and then Wescott punted to the Bowdoin 20 yard line. Another exchange of punts and rushing brought the ball to Tufts' 15 yard line. Tufts then got off a short forward pass to Olson and Wescott punted again to Bowdoin's 30 yard line. At the close of the period Bowdoin had the ball on its own 35 yard line. Score: Tufts 6, Bowdoin 0.

#### THIRD PERIOD

Bowdoin kicked off and the ball was run back 15 yards. Tufts then began some open play. The first forward failed when Holbrook broke through and nailed the man for a loss. Wescott fell back for another forward which went straight into the hands of Keefe, who ran through for a touchdown. The kick failed. Bowdoin then kicked off and the ball went back and forth on the field for several plays. A forward pass to Olson gained 20 yards, but another was broken up for a loss. Wescott then had to punt and the ball went over the Bowdoin line. The ball remained in Bowdoin territory the remainder of the period. In general it was in this period that Bowdoin began to weaken and found it impossible to break up the heavy onrushes. Score: Tufts 12, Bowdoin 0.

#### FOURTH PERIOD

In this period Bowdoin was worn out and Tufts with the addition of the fast Doane, played with all the more speed and spirit. They found no great difficulty in reaching the Bowdoin one yard line, but lost the ball on an incomplete forward pass. Bowdoin punted to its 40 yard line, but Doane in a number of powerful rushes, carried the ball to the 12 yard line and Jeffrey took it over for a touchdown. The goal failed. Tufts kicked off and a poor pass lost the ball for Bowdoin. Doane then took the ball over for a touchdown on one rush, and Morrison kicked the goal. This ended the scoring.

The summary:

TUFTS	BOWDOIN
Joachim, Lincoln, le	
	re, Drummond, Foster, Chapman
Brown, lt	rt, Oliver
Powers, Abbott, Stump, Morrison, lg	
	rg, Campbell, Stewart
Pryor, Watson, c	c, McNaughton, Kern
Algar, H. Brown, rg	lg, Rhoads
Haggerty, Beacham, rt	lt, Bradford
Olson, Sanford, re	le, Holbrook
Drummey, Pratt, qb	qb, Phillips, Needelman
Mitchell, Tyler, Swanson, lhb	rhb, Turner
Wescott, Jeffrey, rhb	lhb, Peacock, Sprague

Keefe, fb ..... fb, Bartlett  
Referee, Murphy of Harvard. Umpire,  
Farmer, Dartmouth. Head linesman, Moore,  
Maine. Time of periods, 15 minutes.

Scoring: Touchdowns, Drummey, Keefe,  
Doane, Jeffrey. Goal from touchdown, Mor-  
rison.

#### CLOTHING FOR THE WOUNDED ALLIES

Tomorrow evening, a collection of clothing will be made for the French and British wounded. The Freshmen Social Service Committee will have charge of the collecting, which will be carried on in the houses after fraternity meetings, and in the ends at 9.30. There is a particularly urgent need for such clothing at present with the winter coming on, and the students are urged to give generously. The clothing is to be shipped at once to New York and thence to Europe.

When the collections for Dr. Grenfell were made, white flannels and straw hats were contributed for Labrador. These would scarcely be of use in the military hospitals, but there is plenty of clothing which can thus be disposed of at this changing of the seasons, so that it will do great good. While the contemporary history examinations of the past year have betrayed an ignorance of the finer points of the war, the average student surely realizes the suffering which a war must entail, and he is presented here with an opportunity to do his bit toward relieving it.

The members of the Social Service Committee are Abbott, R. H. Adams, Badger, Burns, Cate, Cousins, Cook, Ellms, Emerson, Flanders, Gordon, Goodrich, Heaton, Hurrell, McLellan, McWilliams, Mundie, Moses, Skillin, Wadsworth and Whitney.

#### COUNCIL ARRANGES FOR CLASS GAME

At a meeting of the Student Council held last week, matters relative to the date, officials, and other particulars of the Freshman-Sophomore football game were considered. It was decided that the game should take place on Saturday, November 25. Captain Shumway will referee the game and also have charge of the other officials. It was decided that Hall should coach the Freshman team, while Oliver will serve as Sophomore coach.

The report of the secretary on the sale of Freshman caps was accepted, and November 27 was the date set for the election of football managers. No action was taken regarding plans for the Christmas dance, but it was voted to hold a meeting for this purpose immediately after Thanksgiving recess.

#### FRESHMAN HARRIERS FINISH FOURTH

At the last minute, it was decided to hold the Dartmouth freshman intercollegiate cross-country run at Franklin Park, Boston, on account of the snow at Hanover. The Yale team won with the low score of 39, Dartmouth second with 49, University of Pennsylvania third with 52, and Bowdoin fourth with 84.

Although Gorton of Dartmouth carried off the individual honors by winning in the remarkable fast time of 22 minutes 53 seconds, the showing of Noyes should be especially pleasing to Bowdoin men. The Bowdoin cross-country team officially "broke training" after the Maine cross-country intercollegiates, yet Noyes finished fourth, just behind Shields of U. of P., who was picked as the sure winner, and ahead of all the Yale men who won the meet.

The summary:

Gorton, Dartmouth, 22.53; Carter, Dartmouth, 23.05; Shields, U. of P., 23.18 1-5; Noyes, Bowdoin, 23.24; Bronson, Yale, 23.31 2-5; Dudley, Yale, 23.33; Reed, Yale, 23.41; Cummings, U. of P., 23.43 2-5; Crathern, Dartmouth, 23.50 2-5; McTernan, Yale, 23.56; Talbot, Yale, 24.05; Eby, U. of P., 24.06; Peck, U. of P., 24.09 4-5; Miner, Yale, 24.15; Cleaves, Bowdoin, 24.15 1-5; Sommes, U. of P., 24.43; Brown, Bowdoin, 24.49; Granger, Dartmouth, 24.50 3-5; Whittaker, Dartmouth, 24.50 4-5; Driscoll, Yale, 24.53; Whitman, U. of P., 25.43; Frazier, Dartmouth, 26.00 3-5; Harris, Bowdoin, 26.18; Harris, U. of P., 26.45 1-5; Smith, Bowdoin, 30.50.

Yale .....	5	6	7	10	11	14	20—39
Dartmouth ...	1	2	9	18	19	22—49	
U. of P. ....	3	8	12	13	16	21	24—52
Bowdoin .....			4	15	17	23	25—84

#### FIRST COLE LECTURE POSTPONED

Owing to the late date of Thanksgiving and other engagements of the lecturer, it will be impossible to have the Cole Lectures, as first planned, a week apart. They will be given on the evenings of Friday, December 8, and Saturday, December 9, in Memorial Hall, by William Lyon Phelps, Ph.D., Lamson Professor of English Literature at Yale University. The subject of the first lecture will be Longfellow, and of the second, Hawthorne.

#### THE DEAN TO ADDRESS NIGHT SCHOOL

This evening at the night school, Dean Sills will speak on the subject, "The Working of Political Parties of the State."

A complete change in the personnel of instructors of the night school will take place after vacation. Six new men will be needed.



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## Comments on the Football Season

As a slight token of our appreciation of the work of the men on the football team this fall, this issue of the ORIENT is dedicated to them. Nothing which we can say can add to the praise that is rightfully theirs and we wish only to point out a few matters for comment which have arisen during the season.

That the excellent fight and the stubborn resistance of the team are in large part due to Coach Weatherhead is strong evidence of his value to Bowdoin as football coach, and we trust the Athletic Council and all others in charge of securing a coach for next year will omit no effort to retain him or, failing in that, will use extreme care in finding the best available Har-

vard man. We wish this annual uncertainty could be avoided by means of longer contracts, giving one man a chance to know the material here and carry out his plans with it for two or three years at least.

The difficulty in finding enough candidates out on Whittier Field to provide adequate daily practice we have already mentioned. The solution of this problem we are not yet ready to propose, but would like to receive suggestions from interested alumni or undergraduates. Meanwhile the obvious method is to strike at the men we want by means of public opinion, by so arousing the spirit of the average student, in his fraternity and class associations, that the quitter will not be tolerated.

Regarding songs and cheers, we find the same criticisms as in past years. An ORIENT editorial by Mr. Leigh, after the season of 1913, reads in part as follows: "The student body supported the team with only average attendance and mediocre cheering. We are inclined, however, to believe that this lack of unity in student support is due in large part to a neglect of that phase of our student life. With this knowledge we may look forward to the winter's activity with a definite purpose. As a College we can not afford to let our cheering and singing suffer. The winter evenings offer the opportunity for such development. Let us have more real 'sings' and rallies. There are new College songs which have not yet been sung by the student body." This was written three years ago, but the same situation exists today; nothing has been done to raise the quality and force of our College singing and cheering. As in the fall of 1913, by devising some means for us to improve our standing in these respects, Here is a good chance for the Student Council to do a real service to the undergraduates.

## A FOOTBALL RETROSPECT

Bowdoin has just passed through her most successful football season in recent years. Out of a hard schedule of nine games, she has won four, tied two, and lost three. Her opponents have been colleges considerably larger than herself, a fact which makes Bowdoin's showing all the more creditable.

The season opened with a win over Middlebury at Middlebury, 7-0. Although Bowdoin did not have her most effective lineup in that game, she had clearly the stronger team by a greater margin than the score shows.

In her first home game, the White won from Fort McKinley by a safety, 2-0. It was a close contest with the odds slightly favoring Bowdoin.

Plugging at the line for gains won for Bow-



THE SQUAD



Captain Shumway



Coach Weatherhead



Acting Captain Phillips



Trainer Magee





Peacock



Bartlett



Chapman



Foster



Bradford





Young



Turner



Small



Rhoads

FOUR NEW LETTER MEN

doin over Amherst by the score of 12-10. Amherst's scores came through sensational runs by her captain, but the White, playing the more consistent game, won out in the last quarter.

At Wesleyan, Bowdoin played her first tie game, 19-19. It was a hard game, replete with injuries, and yet, with due regard to the brilliant work of Captain Deetjen of Wesleyan, it can be fairly said that Bowdoin was robbed of the game by the inefficiency of the officials.

Colby gave Bowdoin her first defeat at the opening of the State series, 14-7. The Waterville college played a somewhat stronger game, especially in the first half, but again Bowdoin suffered from poor work by the officials, being handicapped by such penalties that Colby won by a touchdown in the last few minutes of play.

Bowdoin came back strongly against Bates the following week, and by good work, both offensively and defensively, sent Bates home the loser, 13-3.

The closest game of the season took place at Maine, the score being 7-7. In the first half, Bowdoin was clearly outplayed, but in the last two periods came back so strongly that Maine was lucky to escape defeat.

Playing Holy Cross at Portland and Tufts at Medford, Bowdoin was the victim of so many injuries that victory was not expected over either. Nevertheless, the White played doggedly in both games and was very evenly matched, especially in the case of Holy Cross.

After the review of the games played this season, a record of three defeats seems exceedingly creditable to the team and the College. Throughout the season, the team has played a gritty and fighting game which reflects great praise upon all concerned.

Coach Weatherhead has proved to be a remarkable coach, one who has wrought wonders with the material at hand. He, more than anyone else, has instilled the fighting spirit in the team which has turned victory out of more than one defeat and kept the players fighting gamely against any odds. A great deal of credit should also go to Trainer Magee who has kept his men in excellent condition.

To Captain Shumway goes the greatest praise for the showing of the team. He has run the eleven with a vigor and speed which bewildered the opponents, and as a runner through a broken field he is without a peer in this State. Almost alone he rushed through the Maine line for repeated gains which finally brought the touchdown, and after his elbow was so badly cracked that he has been unable to play since, he threw

two passes with his "wrong" arm which were caught by Chapman and produced the tying score. He has proved to be an able leader, invaluable upon both the offense and defense.

Like Shumway, Chapman has been generally picked on the All-Maine team. Starting the year at full-back, he was soon shifted to right end, where he played until injured so severely in the Holy Cross game. He has proved a demon at grabbing forward passes and making long runs.

Peacock has proved an invaluable man for the team. He possesses such a spirit of fight and a knack for detecting holes in the line, that he has always been one of the strongest backs on the offensive. He has been handicapped somewhat by a bad knee, but has performed nobly in spite of the injury, as was shown by his work in the Holy Cross game.

Phillips, the star of the Holy Cross game, should receive great praise for the game he has put up this year. Phillips acted as captain in place of Shumway in the last two games and has filled the vacancy well.

Bartlett and Sprague, while neither was sensational, were steady players. Bartlett has been a conspicuous figure in the secondary defense and has stopped play after play coming in his direction. Although Sprague has not been used to any great extent this year, he should prove a valuable man in the next two years.

Needelman substituted at quarterback several times during the season, and handled himself well, especially during the last half of the Maine game. Crockett had so few chances to play that no exact estimation can be made of his ability, but next year he should prove an able assistant to Needelman.

Bradford started the season at left end but soon shifted to left tackle to fill up the vacancy there. Although Merrill has been used at end a few times, he has not yet had an opportunity to prove his worth. Foster has played a steady, consistent game and his playing this season will be especially remembered for the timely interference he gave Chapman in his long run for a touchdown in the Bates game. Drummond has shown unexpected ability and has proved to be a formidable barrier to end runs and trick plays. Holbrook was not given much chance to show what he could do until the Tufts game when he played commendably.

Bradford and Turner have been the regular tackles, Turner having been moved up into the line from the backfield, and both have put up fine games. McNaughton, Oliver, Campbell and Rhoads have all substituted at tackle. McNaugh-

ton has varied his position, playing at guard, tackle and center with equal success. Oliver has been needed to fill in several times and has never been found wanting. Campbell played a good game at tackle until injured in the Wesleyan game. Since then he has warmed the bench until the Tufts game, when he played a good game. Rhoads started the season at tackle, but was soon changed over to guard, where he has played regularly. It is worth noting that Rhoads and Drummond are the first Freshmen to make a football B since Colbath *ex* '17 and Foster '18.

Besides those already mentioned, Young, Stewart and Kern have played guard.

Stone played center at the first of the season, but has been laid up since the Wesleyan game with an injured knee. He was playing a great game and is generally considered to be the best center in the State. Small, originally playing at guard, was shifted to center after Stone was laid up and played such a good game that several ventured to place him on the All-Maine eleven.

The team loses by graduation Captain Shumway, Bartlett, Bradford, Campbell, Chapman, McNaughton, Oliver, Phillips and Stone—nine men—but there is an abundance of varsity material in College and it may be expected that Bowdoin will have another strong eleven next year.

#### LIGHT FOOTBALL TEAM

Bowdoin played the State series this year with a line averaging 20 pounds per man lighter than the line of last year, and the whole team was six pounds lighter as an average. The average weights of the teams of the past two years are:

1916—Line, 167; Backfield, 153; Team, 162.

1915—Line, 186; Backfield, 157; Team, 170.

The absence of men like Leadbetter, Moulton, Chase and Brewster has been responsible for the light average of the line, which has been composed largely of new men. The personnel of the backfield, with Phillips, Shumway, Bartlett and Peacock, has been practically the same during the State series both years. No weights were given out until after the State series finished, but the line was noticeably lighter than last year's.

The statistics of the team which played through the series give the following:

Arthur B. Chapman '17, re, 160, Good Will High School.

Benjamin P. Bradford '17, rt, 158, Kents Hill.

Herman A. Young '18, rg, 195, Peabody (Mass.) High School.

Reginald T. Small '19, c, 175, Westbrook High School.

Cornelius P. Rhoads '20, lg, 176, Springfield (Mass.) Central High School.

Perley S. Turner '19, lt, 165, Cony High School.  
Clifford R. Foster '18, le, 147, Seattle (Wash.) High School.

Frank E. Phillips '17, qb, 125, Exeter.

Sherman N. Shumway '17, lhb, 160, Occidental Academy (Calif.) and Skowhegan High School.

Roland H. Peacock '18, rhh, 168, Freeport High School.

Boyd W. Bartlett '17, fb, 165, Castine High School.

#### SUBSTITUTES

Ainslee H. Drummond '20, le, 152, Abbott School.

Norman D. Stewart '18, rg, 190, Richmond High School.

William R. Needelman '18, qb, 147, Portland High School.

C. Myron Sprague '19, rhh, 156, Morse High School.

John H. Kern '19, rg, 225, Deering High School.

#### CLASS FOOTBALL SQUADS AT WORK

Practice has already begun in preparation for the Sophomore-Freshman football game which comes next Saturday. On account of the recent snow, practice has been held during the past week in the Gymnasium, but the squads will probably go out on the Delta this week.

The Sophomores have only been out for a short time, but many of their men have been out for the varsity team and they will no doubt be out Monday for their class team. Oliver '17 is the coach for the Sophomores. Martin was elected manager last week. The present members of the squad are: Blanchard, Boratis, Caspar, Farnham, Gorham, Hersum, A. D. Holbrook, Irving, Kern, Lyons, McCarthy, Martin, Merrill, Mosher, Morrison, Patrick, Smethurst, R. A. Stevens, and Sullivan.

The Freshmen have had more of a squad out and practice began last Tuesday with Earl S. Hall, the physical instructor, as a coach. Some of the men have tried for the varsity but most of them are new at the game. There seems to be some promising material here, not only for the class team, but also for the regulars next year. The men out so far for the Freshman team are as follows: R. H. Adams, G. H. Allen, Bartlett, Cook, Crockett, Crossman, Curtis, Draper, Ellms, Foster, Hay, C. S. Houston, G. G. Houston, B. S. Jones, McElwee, Marshall, Moses, Richan, H. Smith, Sturgis and Zeitler. Neither of the teams has elected a captain yet but they will do so as soon as the squads get more practice.

## PRESIDENT HYDE'S LATEST BOOK

There has just been published by the Macmillan Company a little book by President Hyde bearing the arresting title, "Are You Human?" In substance this volume presents a lecture recently delivered to the Freshman Class in Yale College on the Ralph Hill Thomas Foundation. Not only the general public, but those who first heard the lecture, will be grateful for its appearance in printed form, for so compact and thoughtful an address could hardly be appreciated to the full in a single hearing.

Twelve of the great relations of life—Athletics, Society, Science, Art, History, Philosophy, Business, Politics, Wealth, Love, Morals and Religion—are considered in turn and before each the attitudes that are human or unhuman or inhuman are indicated with notable clearness and penetration. This method of repetition impresses the mind and renders the message of the book unusually portable in memory. The writer moves with sureness of touch among these great "humanities" and despite the purposeful rigidity of scheme, with the rhythmic repetition of the same questions in each brief chapter, the freshness and vitality of thought is maintained throughout. From page to page the reader is led to see the familiar elements of life in a new light and in juster proportion. In these few compact pages there is heat also, as well as light. One lays the book down with renewed impulse toward the highest use of the stuff of which life is made and with fresh scorn for the self-gratifying, non-contributing, parasitic character. Those in middle life who read these pages will only wish that, when more years were before them, they might have had the guidance of this little book which sends the thought abroad to wide horizons and presents so justly life's greater issues. G.

## THANKSGIVING DINNERS

## FOR BRUNSWICK POOR

For several years past a collection has been taken after chapel vespers at Thanksgiving and again at Christmas to provide dinners for the poor of the town. In order that the work may be carried out on a more extensive scale this year a personal collection will be made through the ends some time this week. Edwards '18 is in charge of this work and is looking for an opportunity to do twice the usual amount of work this year. There is an actual need in the lower part of the town and in the outlying villages, and a good Thanksgiving dinner means much to a family who could not otherwise afford it. The average in collections for the last year or two has been

about ten cents per capita, and an effort will be made to increase this amount this year. This work, together with the night school, the mission schools, and the boys' club, has done much to promote good feeling between town and gown, and the per capita contribution this year should be a quarter at least.

## MUSIC FOR NEXT SUNDAY VESPERS

Organ Prelude, "Eventide" ..... *Dudley Buck*  
 Gloria Patri ..... *Greatorex*  
 Hymn 439  
 Instrumental Trio, "Notherno" .... *Scharwenka*  
 (Violin, 'cello and organ)  
 Three Fold Amen  
 Postlude, Gothic March ..... *Salome*

## BOWDOIN CHORUS UNDER WAY

The Bowdoin Chorus made an enthusiastic beginning last Thursday evening. About fifty men reported, and the Music Room was found to be too small a place for a regular place of meeting. In future, rehearsals will be held in Memorial Hall, Thursday evenings at seven.

More first and second tenors are needed to properly balance the four parts. Following is a partial list of the pieces which are being studied:  
 "Winter Song" ..... *Bullard*  
 "Hark! The Trumpet Calls" ..... *Dow*  
 "All Thro' the Night" ..... *Welsh Folk Song*  
 "Ho! Ye Gallant Sailors" ..... *Macy*  
 "When the Roses Bloom" ..... *Reichardt*  
 "Marching Chorus" ("Aida") ..... *Verdi*

## BOOKS CENTURIES OLD AT LECTURE

A boy of Shakespeare's day began to study Greek at the age of seven, and before he turned seventeen he had a good idea of philosophy, Latin, and more Greek; he waited, however, until he had had more experience before attacking Caesar and Sallust. So said Mr. George A. Plimpton early in his lecture on "Education From the Time of Shakespeare," delivered in Memorial Hall last Thursday evening under the patronage of the Saturday Club. Mr. Plimpton, who is the head of Ginn and Company, book publishers, gave Bowdoin and Brunswick town people an opportunity to inspect 35 books of Shakespeare's time. He read parts of several in the course of his talk.

He told his audience that Queen Elizabeth read more Greek in a day than many churchmen did Latin in a week. He explained the uniformity through 300 years, of education in a great English school, such as Harrow, saying that the temper of the English people toward the



proper type of education for a young gentleman had changed but a very little. Two hundred and fifty years after Shakespeare the Latin and the Greek still flourish.

One of the most interesting features of the entire lecture was his explanation of a diagram, which he had handed around, the "Tower of Knowledge." The first step toward the top is the step through the door to the first floor by means of the alphabet, from which the boy ascends to the Hall of Logic and Rhetoric and Arithmetic; thence to the room where abides Geometry; and then up to the top floor, where lives Philosophy, Morals, and Theology.

Among Mr. Plimpton's books were a Latin grammar of the 14th century, a book on the "Art of Rhetoric" (1553), and "The Letter Writer" which contained sample love letters, some of which Mr. Plimpton read and which he said "would do the trick."

The lecturer had before him on the table the spelling-book from which Shakespeare learned to write; also a "horn-book" probably used by the dramatist when he was a boy learning his letters. "Before me on this table," he said, "are probably more 'horn-books' than in any other place in the world."

Mr. Plimpton characterized his lecture as "A running sketch of education in Shakespeare's time and of the books he used."

President Hyde introduced the lecturer. Several of the students ushered.

#### THE COLLEGE CALENDAR

This year's college calendar, which will be on sale about the first of December, is of exceptionally attractive design. The cover is of dark gray leather and bears the Roman numerals 1917 under the College seal. The calendar will contain the usual pictures of the College and its life. They will sell for the customary price of one dollar and may be ordered from Sampson '17 at the Beta House.

#### WINTER TRACK AFTER VACATION

Coach Magee will pick a larger squad than ever for the winter's track work. He will have about 65 men in order that there will be more interest in the spring. He plans to start directly after Thanksgiving vacation.

#### BIOLOGY CLUB HOLDS FIRST MEETING

The first meeting of the Biology Club this semester, was held last Monday night in the Science Building. The principle business was the voting in of new eligible members and decid-

ing upon the work to be taken up the ensuing year. It was decided to hold the next meeting December 12 at the Kappa Sigma House.

#### MCMILLAN TO SPEAK ON ARCTIC TRIP

On March 5, 1917, Donald McMillan '98 will come to Bowdoin to speak under the auspices of the Saturday Club. The famous Arctic explorer will take for his subject, "Three Years in the Arctic," and will use a remarkable collection of screen slides to illustrate his lecture. McMillan is now in Labrador, but he will return soon to get out his new book before beginning his lecture tour. As Bowdoin men know, McMillan was with Rear-Admiral Robert E. Peary '77 on his dash to the North Pole.

McMillan's coming will be one of the events of the year and the College is keenly anticipating the lecture.

#### Y. M. C. A. NOTES

During the week of Nov. 19, the fraternity houses and ends will be canvassed by committees of the Christian Association for contributions to two charities.

Within a three mile radius of the Bowdoin campus are homes where poverty and sickness have united to crush the spirit of bread-winning mothers, and to leave uncared for their families of miserable children. To these we wish to give Thanksgiving dinners.

In Europe are thousands of homes shattered by war, robbed of legitimate means of self-support, where the rigors of the coming winter must be met. Not the least of their needs is clothes.

Every man in College can afford to meet these collectors generously, and share with those he helps the plenty of the coming holiday.

There has been considerable question in the past as to the privileges which a membership card in the Christian Association entitles the holder, when visiting association buildings in other places. Sometimes they are good for the use of the swimming pool, gymnasium and billiard tables, while again they are occasionally declared invalid. The matter has been brought up with the chiefs of the association who announce that each association is to have its own rules in such matters. The college associations are not on the same footing with those in the cities, so that no standard is set. The present membership certificates are good during the time that the holder has paid his Blanket Tax.

#### SANDFORD '18 RETURNS FROM TEXAS

J. R. Sanford '18 is again on the campus,

after serving on the Mexican border from July 4 to October 17 with Company E of the Second Maine Infantry. The regiment was stationed at Laredo, Texas, but for seven weeks of that time Sandford's company was alone, guarding fords of the Rio Grande at Peron's Ranch, forty miles from Laredo.

At Laredo the men spent much time in regimental parades and inspections, and what they could in sleep, for the life was strenuous. Just before they left General Funston reviewed the Second Maine, together with New Hampshire and Missouri regiments. A Florida regiment occupied the camp when these three left Laredo.

While the fellows had no real brush with the Mexicans, Sandford tells of an incident which was the nearest approach to it.

"One night at the ranch," he says, "our guards heard horsemen coming. They fired shots to call out the company. Skirmishers were sent out but they found nothing after a two hours' search."

A wireless signal corps station furnished the only connection with the outside world.

Sandford, the men of the University of Maine Band, and O'Brien, Colby '16, were the only college men in the regiment. He says nothing in favor of the camp food except that it was "filling." The men had each a camp cot, and slept eight in a tent.

The regiment was mustered out of National service on October 26; the men are still, however, liable to State service.

#### BIGGERS PLAYS THE VILLAIN

With scenes in the Dean's office, in the gym, on Whittier Field and at the Church on the Hill, "The Romance of Brunswick" was enacted for the movies by a cast elected by popular vote. The hero was Fortin, and the only student in the cast was Biggers '17, who played the villain. The plot reads almost like an Alger book. The hero, a poor but honest boy, comes to Brunswick on the 10.55 and is welcomed by the Dean in his office. He and the villain, the rich reprobate of the college, both become smitten with the charms of the belle of the town. The villain is favored until in the championship game of the season, our hero carries the ball over the goal on the fifth down, scoring the winning touchdown. He is carried off the field on the shoulders of the team and is at once the college hero.

But here the villainy comes in. While dressing in the locker room, the villain puts a watch in the hero's locker. The owner misses the watch, and it is discovered in the locker. Jack Magee

expels him from the locker room and the Dean expels him from college. The heroine is kidnapped by Biggers in his limousine, but is rescued after a fight. Several touching scenes are acted down on Maine street, and finally they are married and live happily ever after. Several times the students formed crowds that they might be pictured.

#### With the Faculty

Professor Brown plans to spend the Thanksgiving recess at his father's home in Concord, Mass.

Professor Moody will attend the Convention of the Associated Mathematics Teachers in New England at Boston early in December.

Professor Mitchell preached at the Warren Church in Westbrook on Sunday, November 12.

Professor Hormell will read a paper, "Instruction in Government in Bowdoin College," before the Inter-Collegiate Section of the National Municipal League at Springfield, Mass., November 23. Professor Langley is also to attend the meetings.

Professor Bell spoke on "Colonial America," before the Colonial Dames in Portland last Saturday.

Professor Bell contributed to the July issue of the "English Historical Review" a 13 page article which he calls "British Commercial Policy in the West Indies, 1783-93."

Professor Cram was called to Augusta last week to act as expert witness in the Gibboney murder case before United States Commissioner Farrington. The defendant in the trial was bound over to the term of the United States District Court.

Professor Cram attended a meeting of the State Board of Health in Augusta last Wednesday.

Professor Files was in Bangor last Wednesday, where he was chairman of the Good Roads Convention held in that city. This is the second large convention of its kind held in the state during the fall and it emphasizes the interest which is being aroused in the work.

Professor Catlin will speak tonight at Codman House before the Brunswick Equal Suffrage League. His subject will be "The Minimum Wage."

#### On the Campus

Arthur A. Demuth '20, was initiated into Beta Chi last Wednesday.

Pearson '19 slipped and fell at the corner of

Maine and Everett Streets Friday, fracturing a rib.

Hill '19 is to sing the leading male part, John Alden, in the opera, "Priscilla" to be given at the Town Hall, Nov. 27.

Several of the members of the Pullman course in Municipal Government will attend the meetings in Springfield this week.

Crosby '17 represented the local chapter of Delta Kappa Epsilon at the annual initiation at the Colby chapter last Saturday night.

Coach Weatherhead is coaching Boston College for the Holy Cross game this week before his departure for the West, where he will go into mining.

Both Freshmen and Sophomores had unsuccessful attempts at class meetings last week. At the Freshman meeting the attendance was eight, while the Sophomores mustered 14.

There will be a short meeting of the debating council Tuesday, Nov. 21, at 7 P. M. in the debating room at Hubbard Hall. The Freshmen debating team will please be present.

The faculty has just received word from Mankichi Koibachi, a former Japanese student at Bowdoin, saying that he had been appointed Investigator of Foreign Education by the governor of his Prefecture.

The football schedule for next season is still in doubt, though there is a possibility that the final game will be played with the Army at West Point. The State series will probably set a week later, and several surprises will be sprung when the schedule comes from the approval of the Faculty.

A railroad wreck on the Maine Central Friday evening delayed the football team three hours in getting to Boston, and as a result they didn't have the usual amount of sleep. It is customary for the team to leave Friday morning for a game outside the state, but the Faculty felt that too many absences had been allowed already.

Much talk has been current *on the campus* this fall concerning hockey, and it is expected that a College team will be organized. A large number of hockey enthusiasts from the College played several games on Coffin's Pond last week. It is probable that some definite step will be taken this week toward the establishment of a permanent organization.

### Alumni Notes

'84.—Melvin Horace Orr, who died in Stockton, Cal., Nov. 8, was born April 3, 1861 at Brunswick, Me. After graduating from Bowdoin in

1884, he first studied medicine and later took up law. Going to California in the early eighties, he taught in an Episcopalian school at Benicia. Later he returned East and, finally upon going to California for a second time, settled in Stockton, where he became a member of the firm of Nutter & Orr.

Mr. Orr was a member of the Yosemite Club and the Masons. He died, Nov. 8, at his home, 344 South Sutter Street. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Pamela E. Orr, his mother, Mrs. Albert Orr, and two sisters, Miss Catherine Orr and Mrs. B. M. Campbell, all of Stockton.

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## PEACOCK NEXT FOOTBALL CAPTAIN

Roland H. Peacock '18, was elected captain of football for the coming year, last Tuesday. He comes from Freeport High School and has made his letters for two years in the backfield.

The following men received letters: Captain Shumway '17, Chapman '17, Bradford '17, Bartlett '17, McNaughton '17, Campbell '17, Young '18, Foster '18, Peacock '18, Stewart '18, Small '19, Turner '19, Drummond '20, Rhoads '20, and Manager Blanchard '17.

## FINE FOOTBALL SCHED-

### ULE FOR NEXT SEASON

Several radical changes will be noticed in the football schedule for next season, which has been arranged by Manager A. S. Gray '18 and Mr. McCormick, the faculty advisor. With Harvard at the beginning of the schedule and West Point at the end, Bowdoin will meet two of the strongest teams in the east. The Amherst game, and the State series will come as usual, but the two most radical departures are the bringing of our small college rivals in Connecticut into our own territory. Trinity will play in Portland and Wesleyan here. This will probably mean closer athletic relations with Wesleyan, and there may be an alternation of games in the future.

The schedule is as follows:

- Sept. 29 Harvard at Cambridge.
- Oct. 6 Amherst at Amherst.
- Oct. 13 Trinity at Portland.
- Oct. 20 Colby at Waterville.
- Oct. 27 Bates at Lewiston.
- Nov. 3 Maine at Brunswick.
- Nov. 10 Wesleyan at Brunswick.
- Nov. 17 Army at West Point.

This is one of the best schedules in years, and Bowdoin will meet some of the best of the large and small colleges in this part of the country. An invitation from Dartmouth to play at Hanover next fall with a baseball game at Brunswick the following spring came too late. This is the first time in a number of years that Bowdoin and Tufts have not played. The Wesleyan game will probably become the big game of the season, and this is the first time that a team from Middletown plays on Whittier Field.

## FINAL PLANS FOR THANKSGIVING SOCIAL

Over 40 students will probably attend the social given in the Union Thursday afternoon for those who do not go home over the vacation. The social will last from three to six, and there will be informal dancing during this time. Generous contributions from the ladies of the faculty who have consented to act as patronesses assure the gastronomical success of the affair, while the social plans being worked out by the committee indicate a good time. Any details may be secured from the committee: Professor Langley, Marston '17, and Cole '19.

## HEAVY SOPHOMORE ELEVEN WINS EASILY

Combining line plunging with spectacular open play, and equally successful in both, the Sophomores piled up a score of 35 to 7 against the Freshmen on the Delta Saturday. It was only in the last half minute of play when it was so dark that the ball was scarcely distinguishable that McElwee evaded a substitute Sophomore line for a touchdown. During the first of the game, Sprague and Boratis made great gains through the Freshman line, which was scarcely able to cope with the heavy line of the second year men.

The game was a fast one, and unskilful tackling and a hard field caused several injuries. The Sophomores used the Harvard tactics with success. The most spectacular play was the intercepting of a forward pass by Holbrook who ran 35 yards for a touchdown. Merrill also made two long runs for scores. Caspar kicked all five goals in good form. The Freshman backs, McElwee and Wyman, covered plenty of ground, but most of it was across the field, and they could not puncture the heavy line of the Sophomores for gains. Smethurst ran the Sophomore team well from the quarter back position. In the Freshman line, credit was due to Hay, Cook, and Guptill. Though the game was a cold one to watch, there was a good crowd of spectators who often failed to recognize the bounds of the field and hurried to the scene of every interesting play.

The game in detail:

### FIRST PERIOD

The Freshmen kicked, the Sophomores receiving the ball on 20 yard line. On third down the ball was brought to the 10 yard line but here a



5 yard penalty for offside plus a loss of two yards on the next play gave the Freshmen the ball on their own 17 yard line. Allen went through right tackle for five yards on the first play. On the next there was no gain; Hay punted. A series of rushes by Sprague and Smethurst placed the ball on the Freshman four yard line from which Sprague carried it over. Caspar kicked the goal.

The Freshmen received but could make no gain. After a series of rushes Holbrook intercepted a forward pass, going 35 yards for a touchdown. Caspar kicked the goal. The period ended with the ball in possession of the Sophomores on their 40 yard line. Score: 14-0.

#### SECOND PERIOD

The Sophomores made no gain at first. A forward pass intercepted by Allen gave the Freshmen the ball on their own 40 yard line. On three downs they could make but two yards and they punted. A series of rushes brought the ball to the Freshman 35 yard line. On an old fashioned end around play, Holbrook tore loose for 25 yards, being tackled by Richan. On the next play, Merrill executed the same trick around left end for 10 yards and a touchdown. Caspar kicked the goal. Score: 21-0.

#### THIRD PERIOD

The Freshmen received on their 20 yard line but could not gain and punted. Consistent gains by Merrill and Sprague placed the ball on the Freshman 25 yard line. Here they held. McCarthy tried the only drop kick of the game but it went far wide. Freshman ball on their 20 yard line. The Freshmen here uncorked a spurt, bringing the ball to mid-field. Here they fumbled. It was recovered by Merrill who raced to the two yard line before being tackled. The Freshmen held for two downs but on the third Sprague carried it over. Caspar kicked the goal. Score: 35-0.

#### FOURTH PERIOD

Numerous substitutions and growing darkness slowed the last period. The Freshmen forced the issue in this quarter however, keeping the Sophomores on the defensive throughout. Hard line plunging by McElwee and Wyman brought the ball to the fifteen yard line. Here, with about a half minute to play, McElwee, with no defense, executed a fine end run for fifteen yards, taking the ball over for a touchdown, and he kicked the goal.

The summary:

SOPHOMORES	FRESHMEN
Merrill, Burleigh, le	re, Jones
Caspar, Gorham, lt	rt, Haggerty
Morrison, Blanchard, lg	lg, Smith
Safford, c	c, Hay

Kern, Stevens, rg ..... lg, Zeitler, Guptill  
Hersum, Farnham, rt ..... lt, Houston  
Holbrook, Angus, re le, Cook, Marshall, Foster  
Smethurst, qb ..... qb, Richan, Wyman  
Boratis, Merrill, Whitcomb, lhb ..... rhb, Allen  
McCarthy, rhb ..... lhb, McElwee  
Sprague, fb ..... fb, Wyman, Curtis

Score, Sophomores 35, Freshmen 7. Touchdowns, Sprague 2, Merrill 2, Holbrook, McElwee. Goals from touchdowns, Caspar 5, McElwee. Umpire, Bradford '17. Referee, Chapman '17. Head linesman, Peacock '18. Field judge, Campbell '17. Time, three 15 minute periods, one 13-minute period.

#### EDWARDS MAKES RECORD COLLECTION

Collecting a hundred dollars in the place of the usual thirty, Edwards '18 has provided the means for providing Thanksgiving dinners for three times as many families of the poor of Brunswick as usual. Usually a collection has been taken at the chapel door just before vacation, but this year, Edwards, assisted by Higgins '19, has made a personal canvass of the entire student body, and nearly everyone has contributed. A quarter was the minimum contribution. This will mean a great extension of the work, and there will be an opportunity to provide for the families, not only in the lower part of the town, but in some of the outlying villages along the coast as well. The baskets will be carried around Thanksgiving morning, and with the hundred dollars, plenty of turkeys can be secured.

#### TWO MORE CHINESE COMING

Among the Tsing Hua College party of young Chinese students, which has recently arrived at San Francisco, are Chu Shih-yun and Chang Shang, who have been chosen to come to Bowdoin to complete their education. This company of students numbers between fifty and sixty mostly young men and the majority of them the best students of Tsing Hua College, founded at Peking for the purpose of preparing students for college, preferably American colleges. A number of Tsing Hua students have already been admitted to the leading American colleges and universities with advanced standing, and have distinguished themselves by their brilliant scholarship. Among others prepared at Tsing Hua who have made especially remarkable records are Wang Cheu-hsu, who carried off the highest honors in oratory at Yale last year; Ling Ping who graduated from Leland Stanford last year with the highest honors in his section in education; and Chu Chin, doctor of philosophy from Columbia, who won the warmest praise of his

professors for his scholarly work.

The party was brought over from China by S. D. Li, and will be escorted to Philadelphia by T. T. Whang. Mrs. Whang is in charge of the ten ladies of the party.

#### PLENTY OF CLOTHING FOR THE WOUNDED

Overcoats, sweaters, suits, shirts, and other articles of wearing apparel were contributed most generously last Wednesday evening by the faculty and the students, for the collection made for the British and French wounded by the Freshman Social Service Committee. It was hoped that a barrel full might be secured, but judging from the contributions which the Freshmen brought into Banister Hall, it will take more than one barrel to convey the clothing. Among the contributions were several overcoats in good condition, a number of sweaters, over a dozen suits, and a number of hats, shoes, shirts, and miscellaneous clothing which should certainly be of service to the wounded during the coming winter.

#### THE NEW CATALOGUE

The first change to note in the 1916-17 catalogue is relative to Commencement. The date this year is June 21 instead of June 28, which would be the regular time. The boards voted not to stick to the fourth Thursday, as it would bring Commencement too late in the month.

There is no change in the Boards of Trustees and Overseers, nor in the principal committees of these boards. The registration for the year gives a total of 432 in the College, a gain of 32 over last year. Despite the loss in the Medical School of six there is a gain of 28 in College and Medical School. It is to be noted that there are but ten men in the Freshman class of Medical School.

On the Faculty the catalogue notes that Professor Ham has leave of absence during the first semester and Professor Catlin the second. The catalogue also notes that Mr. Wass, Mr. Van Cleve, Mr. Evans, and Mr. Milne have all been advanced from the grade of instructor to assistant professor. The name of Austin H. McCormick appears as instructor in English. John Baxter also appears as instructor in German for first semester.

Under the head of admission it is to be noted that examinations formerly held at the College the last of June have been given up.

Under courses of instruction a few new courses are announced, the principal additions being in departments of education and a course in American government for Sophomores and Freshmen.

Professor Hormell announces a course in international relations to be given in 1917 and 1918.

Three new scholarships are announced: Benjamin Apthorp Gould Scholarship; The John P. Hale Scholarship and The Class of 1896 Memorial Scholarship. One new prize is announced: The Colonel William Henry Owen Premium. The Library fund shows the addition of the gift of Hon. F. H. Appleton of Bangor, amounting to \$10,000.

The catalogue contains about the same number of pages as usual and will be available when College opens after the Thanksgiving recess.

#### THETA DELTA CHI DANCED FRIDAY NIGHT

The Eta of Theta Delta Chi held the first fraternity dance of the season at the charge house Friday evening. There were 15 couples in attendance and music for an order of 20 dances was furnished by Sprague's orchestra of Portland. The patronesses were Mrs. Adeline A. Biggers of Webster Groves, Mo., and Mrs. James F. Albion of Portland. The guests were the Misses Janet Marriner, Ruth Little, Katherine Dow, Gertrude Albion, Elizabeth Barton, Grace Barton, Marjory Berry and Laura Goding, of Portland; Ellen Baxter of Brunswick; Ida Wotten of Rockland; Dorothy Ellms and Ruth Goss of Auburn; Elizabeth Houghton of Bath; Clara Gibson of Freeport, N. Y. The committee in charge of the dance were Biggers '17, chairman, Stearns '18, Mooers '18, and Barton '19.

#### MEMBERS OF CHEMICAL CLUB

The Chemistry Club, which has been revived after several years in a dormant state, has a membership of 23. The charter members are:

Babcock '17, Crane '17, Davis '17, Fenning '17, Gregory '17, Humphrey '17, Scott '17, Spalding '17, King '18, O'Connor '18, Schlossberg '18.

The new members are:

Cormack '17, Noyes '17, Young '17, Davison '18, Farmer '18, Hildreth '18, Johnson '18, Jones '18, Savage '18, Wass '18, Wyman '18, Hill '19.

#### HOCKEY CLUB

Although no definite steps were taken last week towards the establishment of a hockey organization, interest in the sport is not diminishing, as shown by the fact that a game is scheduled at Coffin's pond this afternoon, between picked up College teams.

Work has been started on the campus rink and this will in all probability be completed during the Thanksgiving recess. Meanwhile all Freshmen and any other men who are interested in hockey are urged to communicate with Bartlett '17.

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Owing to the Thanksgiving recess, there will be no issue of the ORIENT a week from today, the next number appearing Tuesday, December 12.

### Our Duty

As this is the last issue of the ORIENT before the date of the Annie Talbot Cole lectures, we desire to take this opportunity to emphasize the fact that it is our duty, even as it ought to be our pleasure, to attend these lectures. It is always our duty, too often neglected, not to let slip any opportunity for our own improvement, mental, physical, or spiritual, and no less so where the demand upon us is so slight. The Cole lecturers are always the result of the most careful selec-

tion from all available men of prominence within the broad scope of the lectureship. Their subjects are always well-adapted to the ideals of a liberal education, from which we fall so far short. This year Professor Phelps of Yale is to address us upon two men of especial interest to this College, their College. Let the upper classes try to equal in attendance the Freshman English students. If an hour or two can not be spared from the movies for a purpose of such desert, then we fear lest the occasionally-heard criticisms of a modern college education are too well founded and lest we ourselves are fast turning aside from the pursuit of the ideals once so cherished by our predecessors here.

### The Coach

We hear that there is a possibility of securing the services of Coach Weatherhead again next fall, but that the question of finances stands in the way. If this is the only obstacle to his return, we feel that there should be no hesitation. We need not refer again to the part Coach Weatherhead played in the formation of a winning team this fall. The men all have perfect confidence in his ability and, with the material now in sight, the prospects for an even better team next year look excellent, depending only on the securing of a first-rate coach. We could scarcely do better, and we might do a great deal worse, in experimenting with a new man. Surely means can be found to obtain the small amount of money necessary and we firmly believe every attempt in that direction should be made. And once again, we repeat that we would like to see our coaches, in the future, secured by longer contracts, holding the excellent men we now have in all branches for a longer period than one year and putting an end to our annual changes and uncertainty, with the accompanying danger of a distinct loss to the College.

### Communications

Editor Bowdoin ORIENT,  
Brunswick, Maine.

Dear Sir:

In the ORIENT for October 24th, 1916, there appeared a communication suggesting that the vacant panels on the walls of the Bowdoin Union be used for stencilling thereon the names of members of our championship athletic teams. I have never seen these panels, and therefore hesitate to speak about their use. However, assuming that stencilling is advisable, and that some such use is to be made of the panels as is suggested in the ORIENT, it occurs to me that it might



be more appropriate and valuable, if, instead of the plan suggested, there be stencilled on the panels the scores of our athletic teams from the beginning of their history to the present, these scores to be classified according to our several competitors.

One of the reasons recommending this plan is that the honor of an intercollegiate athletic victory is an honor for the whole College, and should always be regarded as such, rather than as an individual honor for the members of the team. Furthermore, it is often true that a team which does not win a championship has done as much service to the College and has played as well as one which happened to win a championship under peculiar conditions. The important thing in an athletic contest is the maintenance of the College honor, and the record of each contest is largely epitomized by the score of the game. Whether the score be a winning or a losing score, it stands as a record of a test of Bowdoin's honor, and no true Bowdoin team has ever made a score of which it was ashamed. This untarnished record is one of the treasures of Bowdoin undergraduate life constantly growing in value, and which is entrusted year by year to the keeping of the new generations.

Also it occurs to me that alumni would be more interested in seeing the relative scores which have been made from the beginning of Bowdoin's athletic history to the present than they would be in reading the names of members of the championship teams. The names of individual players must necessarily mean little to readers not personally acquainted with the players, whereas the score of every Bowdoin team is of interest to every College generation. I believe that the record of Bowdoin's teams thus set forth would be a more potent incentive for the new men to keep up the splendid athletic record which has been made in the past, than would be any ambition to see their own names emblazoned on the walls. One of Bowdoin's greatest lessons to her sons is that of sinking personal ambition into a sincere desire to work with others for the accomplishment of a common and worthy, although difficult end.

Also I should suppose there must be a physical limitation to the number of panels on the walls of the Union, whereas there would be little limitation to the number of names of the members of our championship teams. I suggest, also, that much difficulty would be encountered in accurately determining all the members of our championship teams, whereas it would be most important that there be not the slightest inaccuracy in whatever records are spread upon the walls.

Please do not interpret this letter as a recommendation that the panels be stencilled in any manner whatever, because I am not in a position to recommend or oppose that policy. In fact, as a matter of general impression, it would seem to me that the proper place for stencilling athletic records would be in the trophy room, and that if the record is stencilled elsewhere than in the Athletic Building the record should include a record of our intercollegiate debates and of all our official intercollegiate contests, whether in athletics or other fields.

There is one more thought which I wish to convey. It is born of a frequent realization of the great part played in a Bowdoin man's graduate life by the thoughts and inspirations that were his in College. It seems evident that any record stencilled on the walls of the Bowdoin Union will make an indelible impression upon many undergraduates. It will shape their thoughts and influence their aspirations. If life ended with graduation from College, the inspiration derived from deeds of prowess in intercollegiate contests might be sufficient. But remembering that life is scarcely one-third completed when graduation has come, and remembering that the time of the greatest power of each Bowdoin man in his generation will come long after his graduation from College, would it not be well to provide in the Bowdoin Union an inspiration that will bear its greatest fruit at that period of a Bowdoin man's life when he is possessed of his greatest powers? Why not let the panels suggest the inspiration which may be derived from the lives of those of Bowdoin's sons whose greatness has been measured in the distances of life, rather than those of youth alone? Cannot your Student Council, with the coöperation of the Alumni Council, of the Faculty and of the Secretary of the Alumni Association, or even of the Alumni Association itself through an annual Commencement Day vote, select from among Bowdoin's Alumni from time to time the names of her greatest-souled graduates, or her authors or of her statesmen, and in each case with a few words of carefully expressed appreciation let their examples help to mold the thoughts and the ideals of the future sons of Bowdoin.

Yours sincerely,

H. H. BURTON '09.

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*To the Editor of the ORIENT:*

With more than a hundred other Bowdoin alumni of Boston and vicinity, I saw the football game with Tufts; and please allow me space to say—and I feel confident I voice the sentiments



of every Bowdoin man on Tufts Oval that afternoon—how proud we all were of the eleven that represented our College. I have followed Bowdoin football closely for a full quarter century, and I have never seen a Bowdoin eleven that showed more dash and pluck and spirit in the face of overwhelming odds, that worked together better as a team, or that manifested, in every individual player, a more thorough mastery of the fundamentals of the game. Sorely bruised and battered from the victories and defeats of an unusually hard schedule, deprived of the inspiring leadership of its brilliant captain, with eleventh hour substitutions in the line-up, facing a team that had beaten Harvard, our eleven nevertheless put up a fight so fast, so game, so clean, so intelligent, so consistent that it thrilled every Bowdoin man who witnessed it—and every Tufts man as well.

Though three of our nine games go on record as defeats, I feel that we should honor our 1916 eleven as one of the most successful that ever represented the College. Its indomitable fighting spirit and its football knowledge more than made up for its light weight. So hats off to Coach Weatherhead and to Captain Shumway and every winner of the football "B!" And shall not the whole undergraduate body earnestly pledge itself to show such a spirit of loyal support to the eleven a year hence that there will be no occasion for such an editorial rebuke for its indifference, or worse, as the ORIENT has been forced to utter this fall?

JOHN CLAIR MINOT '96.

#### *To the Editor of the ORIENT:*

It is a subject for general concern when an authorized report from two lower classes, each enrolling well over 100 members, shows an attendance of fourteen and eight respectively, at advertised class meetings. Such lack of interest in the government and issues of class business cannot but in some measure be indicative of the degree of future consideration promised along all lines of College activity. If only eight out of 143 Freshmen are sufficiently interested in class achievement and the conducting of its business, that eight has our sympathy and the class our concern.

Such conditions are particularly marked and provoke concern because they are in the two lower classes, for in them is the nucleus for future example and incentive for later-day Freshmen. If the present conditions are a barometer for future, it is not a very difficult matter to prophesy a most undesirable situation. "What is the matter" has been being asked long enough; it

seems well here to suggest *Get Busy!*

C.

#### PHI BETA KAPPA BANQUET

The Phi Beta Kappa, Alpha of Maine, will hold a banquet Dec. 5 at the Falmouth Hotel, Portland. This is the first banquet that has been given by the local chapter at this time of the year. In the past the chapter has only held a meeting at Commencement time when the new members are initiated. The price of the banquet will be two dollars a plate. It is to be given under the direction of the literary committee which consists of the following: Rev. Samuel V. Cole '74 of Norton, Mass., Dr. Marshall P. Cram '04 of Brunswick, Rev. Charles P. Cutler '81, Waban, Mass., Henry S. Chapman '91 of Boston, and Philip G. Clifford '03 of Portland. The officers of the Chapter are: President, Frederic H. Gerrish '66, M.D., LL.D.; Vice-President, Professor Frank E. Woodruff, A.M.; Secretary and Treasurer, Professor George T. Files '89, Ph.D.

The Bowdoin Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa was established in 1825. It received its charter, dated October 25, 1824, from the Yale Chapter. The charter was issued to "William Allen, Parker Cleaveland and any other member of the society residing in Brunswick or its vicinity." The foundation meeting was held on the anniversary of Washington's Birthday, February 22, 1825, and continued with several adjournments until Sept. 7. The Bowdoin Chapter is the sixth in order of establishment, following William and Mary, Harvard, Yale, Dartmouth, and Union.

Among the most prominent Phi Beta Kappa men in this country are President Wilson, ex-Presidents Taft and Roosevelt, and ex-Justice Hughes.

#### DEBATING COUNCIL MEETS

At a meeting of the Debating Council last Tuesday night, Norton '18 resigned as chairman of the Bowdoin Intercollegiate Debating League. A new manager will be appointed shortly. Albion '18 resigned as assistant manager of the Debating Council, and Coburn '18 was chosen for the place.

#### CHRISTMAS DANCE

Active preparations are being made by the committee for the Christmas dance, one of the most delightful social functions of the year.

Excellent music has been secured and some surprises in the line of novelties will be presented. It is sincerely hoped that the College will give its support to the coming affair in order that its repetition in the future may be assured. The price of the dance will be reasonable.

### BOWDOIN CLUB OF BANGOR MEETS

The Bowdoin Club of Bangor held its first monthly supper for the year at the Penobscot Exchange recently. Dr. Daniel A. Robinson '73, presided as toastmaster. A letter from the Masque and Gown requesting assistance from the alumni in staging a play in Bangor during the early part of December was read and approved. A committee composed of William D. Ireland '16, Donald F. Snow, Esq. '01, and Frank L. Bass, Esq. '07, was appointed to make arrangements for such a performance. A letter of greeting from President Hyde was also read, and speeches were made by several of the members. Forty-one alumni were present at the banquet.

### DRAMATIC REHEARSALS FREQUENT

With scarcely three weeks remaining before the opening night, the two casts for the Masque and Gown plays are rehearsing overtime. The measurements have been completed for the costumes and the quaint, old fashioned garbs are well in the making.

A tentative plan would have it that Biddeford and Saco be included in the Portland trip. That would mean either that the Portland date comes between these two engagements, or that both places would be visited before Portland. The plan however is merely tentative and Portland seems to be the only sure date.

### THE LIBRARY TABLE

A number of interesting books have recently been added to the Library.

Of interest to history and government students is "The Origin and Growth of the American Constitution," by Hannis Taylor; and "With Americans of Past and Present Days," by J. J. Jusserard, French Ambassador to the United States. He dedicates his book "To the Thirteen Original States," and in his preface he writes in a pleasing manner of his relations with the American people during his thirteen years in this country.

A volume of particular interest in view of the present dye problem in America is "Dyeing in America and Germany," by S. H. Higgins of the Manchester (England) School of Technology. "The Christian Ethic of War" and "The Campaign of Trafalgar" by J. S. Corbett, lecturer in History to the Naval War College of England, are two other books on phases of war.

"Letters of Queen Victoria" is a noteworthy collection, and "Hawthorne and His Publisher" should stimulate the interest of all Bowdoin men.

### With the Faculty

President Hyde attended a meeting of the Board of Overseers of Harvard University yesterday.

Professor Johnson and Dean Sills received a great hand when they appeared on the screen last week in the "Romance of Brunswick."

Professor Woodruff preached at the North Deering Congregational Church in Portland on Sunday, November 12.

Professor Files has been having extensive alterations and repairs made on his residence during the fall, including a large sun parlor on the southern side.

Dean Sills will lecture at Hobart College next Friday on the subject "Politics in Theory and Practice."

Mr. MacCormick will visit several of the Maine preparatory schools shortly.

### On the Campus

The Boston Globe Sunday ran pictures of Chapman and Shumway for the All-Maine football team.

"Major" Slocum '13 became a captain last week when he was elected head of the 10th Company, C. A. C., N. G. S. M.

G. F. Cary '88, A. C. Kinsey '16 and G. E. Beal '16 were on the campus last week.

The Saturday Club will hold a reception and loan exhibit at the Walker Art Building next Tuesday. Many rare pieces of art will be shown and the ladies will serve tea and light refreshments.

Stetson '18 and McGorrell '19 rendered a pleasing string duet with organ accompaniment in chapel Sunday.

Chapel warnings appeared last week and were as numerous as usual.

The Sophomores trimmed the Freshmen Saturday by the largest score that has been rolled up in these games for ten years.

Regular gymnasium work commences after Thanksgiving.

The mid-semester review of classes took place at the Faculty meeting yesterday. Warnings were issued and will appear Wednesday.

Dave Kelley '16, who was on the campus over the week-end, made things lively with the piano at the Union between the halves of the Freshman-Sophomore game.

The Deutscher Verein will hold its opening meeting with Professor Files at his residence on Tuesday evening, Dec. 5. A number of men will be taken in at this time, with the customary five minute speech in German.

The first cut in the ORIENT squad will be made before the Christmas vacation.

Many of the fraternities will hold Christmas house parties and dances in connection with the College dance on Dec. 22.

### RESOLUTIONS

HALL OF THE KAPPA CHAPTER OF PSI Upsilon

Whereas: Our Divine Father in His infinite wisdom has seen fit to call to the Great Beyond Brother William Perry of the class of 1877, and

Whereas: We, the members of the Kappa Chapter of Psi Upsilon desire to express our sorrow at his death, therefore be it

Resolved: That the Chapter extend to his bereaved friends and relatives its deepest sympathy; and be it

Resolved: That we, the members of his fraternity, do mourn most deeply the loss of our brother.

FRANK DURHAM HAZELTINE,  
JOHN BOLTON SLOGGETT,  
JAMES FULLER INGRAHAM,  
*For the Chapter.*

HALL OF THE KAPPA OF PSI Upsilon

Nov. 22, 1916.

The Kappa of Psi Upsilon learns with the deepest regret of the sudden death of her beloved alumnus, Brother John Edwin Walker of the class of '81. Therefore be it

Resolved, That the Kappa Chapter of Psi Upsilon extend its deep sympathy to his bereaved family and great host of friends.

FRANK DURHAM HAZELTINE,  
JOHN BOLTON SLOGGETT,  
JAMES FULLER INGRAHAM,  
*For the Chapter.*

HALL OF THE KAPPA CHAPTER OF PSI Upsilon

Nov. 20, 1916.

The Kappa Chapter of Psi Upsilon wishes to place on record her appreciation of her loss in the death of Howard Rollin Ives of the Class of 1898.

Though 39 years of age, he was one of the leaders of the Cumberland Bar. A great future was before him, and his death deprives his city, his State, and his country of the services of an upright character, a keen mind, and a noble life.

The loss to the public is great, but the loss to his friends is irreparable. He drew them to him, not only by a subtle charm of manner, but by a strength bred of high ideals and their accomplishment.

He was true to those things in his life which

stood for the best. Psi Upsilon was one of these. In his death the Chapter has lost a loyal brother.

FRANK DURHAM HAZELTINE,  
JOHN BOLTON SLOGGETT,  
JAMES FULLER INGRAHAM,

November 18, 1916.

HALL OF ETA OF THETA DELTA CHI

It is with sincere regret that the Eta records the death of Brother Melvin Horace Orr of the class of 1884.

Attaining prominence in his chosen profession, he was respected by colleagues and all who knew him.

The Eta keenly feels his loss and her deep sympathy goes out to his family in their sorrow.

EARLE WARREN COOK,  
ROBERT GREENHALGH ALBION,  
HUGH ADDISON MITCHELL,  
*For the Charge.*

### CALENDAR

Nov.

28. Tuesday, 5 P. M., Glee Club rehearsal, Music Room.

Deke Psi U dance at Psi U house.

Zeta Psi dance at chapter house.

Delta Upsilon dance at chapter house.

Kappa Sigma dance at Union.

Beta Theta Pi dance at chapter house.

29. Wednesday, 12.30 P. M., Thanksgiving recess begins.

30. Thursday, 3 P. M., social at Bowdoin Union for "Leftovers."

Dec.

4. Monday, 8.30 A. M., College exercises resume.

11.30 A. M., physical training begins.

5. Tuesday, 7 P. M., Phi Beta Kappa dinner, Falmouth Hotel, Portland.

8 P. M., Deutscher Verein meets with Professor Files.

8. 8 P. M., Annie Talbot Cale Lecture, Memorial Hall. Topic, "Hawthorne."

9. Friday, 8 P. M., second Annie Talbot Cale Lecture, Memorial Hall. "Longfellow."

### Alumni Notes

'48.—At the recent centennial exercises of the Bangor Theological Seminary a conspicuous figure was that of Rev. William C. Pond, the oldest alumnus of the Seminary. Dr. Pond was born in Cambridgeport, Mass., February 22, 1830, and after graduating from Bowdoin he studied for four years in the theological school. He

was ordained in 1852, the same year in which he received his diploma from the seminary.

At that time California was one of the frontier states, the wildest in the west. Dr. Pond took up the task of carrying spiritual guidance to the hordes of gold seekers, a task which was not only difficult but also dangerous. He persevered, however, in the work and accomplished a great deal of good among the miners, who appreciated the labors of a sky-pilot in their behalf.

When, as the land became more thickly settled, the need of a missionary to carry the Gospel to the miners became less acute, and towns with their churches began to fill the position in a much more efficient manner, Dr. Pond began to turn his attention to another field. Among the thousands of Chinese, who were recent arrivals in the state, he went as a missionary. In time he became state superintendent of the Chinese missions of California. He received his degree D.D. in 1888.

'59.—General Henry Clay Wood, U. S. A., retired, who has made his home in Farmington for seven years, will spend the winter in Portland. He saw distinguished service in the battle of Wilson's Creek for which he received a Congressional medal of honor.

'70.—Hon. William E. Spear, formerly of Rockland, Me., died suddenly in Boston, Nov. 2.

Judge Spear was born in Rockland, Me., 1847. He was a graduate of the Bangor Theological Seminary, of the class of 1873, from which he entered the ministry. He held several pastorates in Maine and New Hampshire during the years immediately following his graduation from the seminary, after which he spent a year of travel and study in Europe and in Palestine.

Upon his return from abroad he entered the office of A. P. Gould in Thomaston for the purpose of studying law. In 1879 he was admitted to the Massachusetts bar and he began a law practice which lasted many years. In 1892 he was elected to a judgeship, and in 1898, after the close of the Spanish-American war, he was sent to Paris as interpreter for the Peace Commission. Following his return to this country, he was appointed to the head of the Spanish Claims Department with headquarters at Washington. At the expiration of ten years he was obliged, owing to failing health, to resign his position. He returned to Boston and later resumed his law practise.

Judge Spear was an accomplished linguist and could speak French, German, Spanish and Italian fluently. He was much interested in military tactics and in his leisure moments wrote a book on

the Civil War entitled "The North and the South." At the time of his death he had completed another book on the same subject. He traveled extensively both in this country and in Europe, his summers for the last twenty years being spent entirely in European travel.

'81.—J. E. Walker, who has been serving the last few years as prison physician at the State Penitentiary at Thomaston, died last week.

'94.—Rev. George C. DeMott has recently taken up the duties of rector of St. Stephen's Church in Portland. Since his graduation from Bowdoin, Rev. DeMott has studied at the Bangor Theological Seminary, at the General Theological Seminary in New York, and Columbia University. In 1914 he was ordained a deacon of the Protestant Episcopal Church, and a short time later was ordained to the priesthood. Since then he has served as assistant rector and rector of St. John's Church in Jersey City, one of the largest Episcopal Churches in the country.

'98.—Hon. Percival P. Baxter of Portland has been re-elected to the Legislature again this winter. He was a member of the House in 1905, of the Senate in 1909, and has once more been elected to the House. He is understood to be very likely to be the presiding officer of the next House.

'98.—Howard R. Ives, a member of the firm of Verrill, Hale, Booth and Ives, died at his home on Cape Elizabeth, Nov. 10. He had been ill but a few days with a severe cold when double pneumonia set in and resulted fatally.

Mr. Ives was born in West Point, N. Y., in 1877. He fitted for College at Phillips-Exeter Academy, and after his graduation from Bowdoin he studied in Germany for a year before entering the Harvard Law School. Soon after receiving his degree from this institution he was admitted to the Cumberland bar. For several years he had been engaged actively in the Eastern Steamship Corporation case as one of the counsel for the corporation and was well versed in the peculiarities of the Federal court practise as well as the court procedure of the various courts in the State.

He was a prominent clubman of Portland, and an enthusiastic yachtsman. He was a member of the School Board and was also appointed to the Recreation Board when that board was created.

'99.—Rev. Fred R. Marsh has accepted a call to the Union Congregational Church, Jacksonville, Florida. He entered upon his new charge the first of last October.

'06.—Chester C. Tuttle has been appointed



Superintendent of the Schools of Hebron, Buckfield, and Hartford, Me. His residence is in Buckfield.

'07.—At a meeting of the board of directors of the Security Trust Co. of Rockland, Me., Glenn A. Lawrence of the Lawrence Canning Co., was elected a member of the board.

'10.—Carlton W. Eaton, assistant professor of forestry at the University of Maine, is a candidate for the office of State forestry commissioner. Mr. Eaton graduated from the Yale Forestry School after receiving his degree at Bowdoin. Since then he has been in New Mexico, in the forestry service of the United States Government for two years, previous to holding his position at the University of Maine.

*ex-'10.*—News of the wedding of Henry G. Ingersoll and Miss Gertrude E. Coombs has been received. The ceremony, which took place at the bride's home in Belfast, Me., was performed by Rev. J. Wilbur Richardson of the Belfast Baptist Church.

The bride is a graduate of St. Joseph's Convent Academy in Portland, Me. After a trip to

Boston and New York the couple will reside on Deering Avenue, in Portland. Mr. Ingersoll is superintending one of the Portland factories of the Saco Valley Canning Co.

'11.—Waldo F. Skillin (Medic '14) was married to Miss Josephine A. Feury of Portland, Oct. 31. Their residence will be 448 Broadway, So. Portland, Me.

'15.—S. A. Melcher, who has been connected with the Home Office of the Travelers Insurance Company, Hartford, Conn., for the past year, has been transferred to the Baltimore Branch Office of that company as cashier of that office.

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## THE BASEBALL SCHEDULE

The following baseball schedule has been arranged by Manager MacCormick and has been approved by the faculty:

- April 11 Harvard at Cambridge.
- April 12 Wesleyan at Middletown
- April 13 Pending.
- April 14 Amherst at Amherst.
- April 19 Bates at Lewiston. (Exhibition).
- April 21 Pending.
- April 28 N. H. College at Brunswick.
- May 2 Maine at Brunswick.
- May 5 Colby at Waterville.
- May 9 Colby at Brunswick.
- May 12 N. H. College at Durham.
- May 16 Tufts at Brunswick.
- May 19 Tufts at Medford.
- May 23 Exeter Academy at Brunswick.
- May 26 Maine at Orono.
- May 30 Bates at Lewiston.
- June 1 Bates at Brunswick.
- June 20 Alumni game.

## CLEVELAND LECTURE MONDAY

Dr. Frederick A. Cleveland, director of the Bureau of Municipal Research of New York City, will lecture next Monday evening on "Efficiency in Municipal Research." The lecture was postponed from Nov. 20. The time of the Freshman-Sophomore debate will be changed.

## INFORMAL COLLEGE DANCES IN UNION

On Saturday evening the first of a series of informal College dances will be held in the Union. The success of the informal dancing at the Thanksgiving Social influenced the Union Governors to decide upon this means of giving the student body an attraction for Saturday evening on the campus. It is planned to have four of the dances during the next few months. The music will be either Victrola or piano, and refreshments will be served. The capacity of the Union is about fifty couples, and no more than this number will be admitted. An admission fee of half a dollar has been decided upon.

The dances will be strictly informal, without dress suits or even dance orders, and will commence and close at fairly early hours. These

dances will form a good means to keep the students on the campus Saturday evenings, and they will not have the formality of the regular College and fraternity dances. Saturday evening will indicate the student interest in the project, and the Union will probably be filled to the limit. The committee in charge of the dances are Professor Langley, and Marston '17.

## BOWDOIN MAY DEBATE VERMONT

The subject for the Bradbury debate has been chosen. It is, resolved: that the United States could better defend the Western hemisphere by an agreement with Great Britain than by present policy known as Monroe Doctrine.

Negotiations for a debate this year with the University of Vermont are being considered and the decision will depend largely upon the interest and support of the students given.

## HOCKEY MAY BE VARSITY SPORT

Hockey may be recognized as a varsity sport this year and a team made up to play other colleges. Last year the College organized a team under the name of the Brunswick Hockey Club, which beat Bates team twice, which played in Portland and which had an invitation to compete in Canada, but could not accept the offer as they had no official backing.

Without doubt the College could have a strong team for there is excellent material. In the games between classes and fraternities on the rink during the last two years sufficient material has been found for a College team.

Last year the team played on a rink near Hubbard Hall. On account of the surroundings, the dimensions, though containing the standard area, were out of proportion. This year, it was hoped, the Delta would be turned into a rink, but the lack of finances made it impossible. Consequently the team has resorted to the old place. They are preparing to put up the sideboard in the near future.

The Athletic Council has been considering making hockey a varsity sport and awarding letters, perhaps a B crossed with a hockey stick. Probably it will be put on a par with fencing rather than with the other four major sports.

### INDOOR RIFLE MATCHES

The Rifle Club has entered a team to compete in the annual intercollegiate indoor match to begin in January, 1917. This match, which consists of twelve weekly competitions, is open to all undergraduate club members in good scholastic standing. The team will be chosen each week from the ten high practice guns. The distance shot is 50 feet, slow fire, from prone; no artificial support except a sling will be allowed. Two sighting shots will be permitted, and 20 shots will be scored for a record. A ten ring target with a half inch bull ring is to be used.

The club has purchased two Savage gallery rifles. These guns weigh  $8\frac{1}{2}$  pounds and have a three-pound trigger pull. The rear sight is a peep, and the front sight a fine lead. Twenty-two hundredths calibre shot ammunition will be supplied to the club at gross cost. Arrangements are being made with the Guard for the armory range, and notice will be given of hours for club use. It is hoped to shoot three afternoons and one evening each week, and we need consistent attendance of every member who has used a gun or who cares to learn.

### PIERRE PATELIN IN PORTLAND FRIDAY

Friday evening, December 15th, the Masque and Gown will give its first performance of the year at Pythian Temple in Portland. The Bowdoin Club of Portland has charge of all arrangements and admission is by invitation only, a thousand having been issued by the committee. Dancing will follow the performance.

The play to be presented is "Master Pierre Patelin," a French farce of the fourteenth century, which was given with great success last season by the Washington Square Players of New York. The scenery and costumes, as well as the play itself, are decidedly novel and interesting and different from anything the club has ever done before. Inasmuch as "Pierre Patelin" requires little more than an hour for presentation, a one-act play "Indian Summer," also a translation from the French, will be given as a curtain-raiser. It is a charming, sentimental comedy and will provide a marked contrast to the "Patelin," which is a farce, full of broad comedy, both in character and situation.

### PROF. PHELPS GIVES COLE LECTURES

Paying tribute to Longfellow and Hawthorne as two of Bowdoin's most famous Alumni, Dr. William Lyon Phelps of Yale University opened the first of the Annie Talbot Cole Lectures last Friday evening.

### LONGFELLOW

Widely read in this and in foreign countries Longfellow excelled as the poet of the people. His broad rather than deep insight into human nature, combined with treatment of familiar scenes and objects, made him such. Longfellow's versatility is shown by the wide range of poetical forms attempted by him, ranging from the sonnet to the epic. His great American epic "Hawthorne" has a lasting charm for all readers.

Having no obscurity or strangeness peculiar to Tennyson, Spenser and other great poets. Longfellow wrote with typical American optimism always in evidence. With the exception perhaps of few poems on the sea he was distinctly a poet of the library, his love of books remaining with him to the last.

### HAWTHORNE

Hawthorne is the greatest creative artist and the greatest prose writer that American letters have produced. His greatness consists very largely in his style, which is supreme above that of all other American writers. Cooper wrote popular stories which have been translated and read all over the world, but Cooper's style was abominable and translation improved rather than detracted from his style. Hawthorne's style was so wonderful that translation spoiled his works, and although his books have not yet had the popular universal reading that Cooper's work enjoyed, yet he by far excels the author of *The Last of the Mohicans*. Compared with Poe, Hawthorne's art is finer and higher. Poe is thrilling, exultant: Hawthorne is subdued, low toned. Poe appeals to the senses: Hawthorne to the mind. Poe was inventive, and his brilliancy shows itself on the surface. Hawthorne was imaginative, and imaginative art always yields less on first examination. Although Hawthorne does not seize or "grip the reader" at once, yet he makes a deep and permanent impression too subtle to explain.

Hawthorne's method of writing was original. He usually created a shadowy region, a terrestrial atmosphere with a suggestion of the spiritual, covering his story with a veil of fantasy. He was an ideal realist, not romantic or an idealist—but a realist because of the real passions and deeds which he described. He excels in his analysis of men and women and spiritual things. His greatest theme was sin and the development of the soul through the experience of sin. In his short story "Ethan Brand," he takes up the matter of the unpardonable sin. Ethan Brand, the young man, started out in search of the unpardonable sin. After much traveling he finds the

sin right with him in his own heart, and defines it as intellectual selfishness or the development of the intellect at the expense of the heart. Hawthorne had a suspicion that he himself was guilty of this sin. It worried him and his constant consideration of the matter blossomed forth in the short story. What Professor Phelps characterized as the greatest novel on which Hawthorne's fame largely depends, is *The Scarlet Letter*, an allegory founded on the Puritanical consciousness of sin. The art of the *Scarlet Letter* he said is practically perfect.

#### THANKSGIVING SOCIAL A SUCCESS

For the benefit of the students remaining on the campus during the Thanksgiving recess, a social was held in the Union on Thursday afternoon, November 30th. About forty students were present, and an equal number of the young ladies of Brunswick and vicinity under the patronage of the ladies of the faculty and Miss Anna Smith, Mrs. Charles A. Gilman and Miss Maud Mason. The committee of the Christian Association in charge of the program consisted of Professor Langley, Marston '17 and Cole '19.

Those attending the social enjoyed informal dancing with music furnished by the Victrola, card, billiard and pool playing. Refreshments of ice cream, cake, sandwiches, salted nuts, etc., were supplied by the patronesses.

#### BISHOP BREWSTER NEXT SUNDAY

Bishop Benjamin Brewster, the successor of the late Bishop Robert Codman in the diocese of Maine, will be the College preacher next Sunday.

Bishop Brewster was called to the Maine diocese from Colorado where he was a missionary bishop, but he is a New Englander and a Yale graduate. The bishop has already become popular in Portland and throughout the state, and he will be heard with interest by the College next Sunday.

#### LOAN EXHIBIT IN ART BUILDING

Last Monday evening the Saturday Club held a reception and loan exhibit in the Walker Art Building. In the Bowdoin Gallery hung paintings and silhouettes; in the Boyd Gallery rare china, silver, jewelry and miniatures were displayed on silks and laces and contained in two long cases.

Such painters as Ben Foster, W. W. Gilchrist and John Calvin Stevens had pictures in the exhibit. A beautiful landscape by Foster, loaned by William Sewall of Bath, was much admired; the latest gift to the art collection, and a picture

never before exhibited, was an autumn scene by the same artist, given by Mrs. Bradbury Beddell of Philadelphia. Gilchrist contributed a portrait of John Calvin Stevens, also other water colors. Stevens himself was represented by three landscapes in oil.

A collection of very rare Edwards prints in fine coloring, loaned by Rev. Chauncey Goodrich, attracted favorable attention.

Prominent in the exhibit were a number of old portraits: among them two Sullys loaned by Rev. Edward Johnson; a Copley belonging to Mrs. Henry Johnson, and some most interesting family portraits loaned by Dr. Gilbert Elliott and the Gilman family.

Pictures, china, silver and jewelry were all beautiful, but the general appearance of the galleries and rotunda made in the mind of the observer a picture more striking than that of any particular exhibit. Rare Oriental rugs on the floors, comfortable sofas around the edges of the rooms, and wonderful lighting combined to produce a most beautiful effect.

During the evening, between three and four hundred persons visited the building. Most of the exhibit was loaned by Brunswick people. To Miss Anna E. Smith, president of the Saturday Club and curator of the art collections belongs the credit of arranging this most successful exhibit.

#### SOCIOLOGY STUDENTS INVESTIGATE JAILS

During the Thanksgiving vacation certain members of the sociology class assisted the National Committee on Prisons and Prison Labor in the investigation of prison conditions in Maine. Five men investigated conditions in their own counties: Call taking Piscataquis County; Spear, Knox County; French, Penobscot County; Bigelow, Oxford County, and Mooers, Somerset County. The work was very interesting as well as being of great assistance to the National Committee.

#### MOVIES UPHELD IN DEBATE

A debate in English 5 was held Tuesday evening at the debating room in the Library. The question was: Resolved, that attendance of Bowdoin students at moving picture shows should be greatly curtailed provided that means of curtailing it can be found. Niven '17 and Young '17 upheld the affirmative, Bowdoin '17 and Spear '18, taking the negative.

A vote of the audience gave the decision to the negative.



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## Proposed System of Athletic Training

We have felt compelled, the last few weeks, to criticise severely certain conditions at Bowdoin College, particularly the lack of spirit shown by the student body in connection with football and track this fall. We mentioned the fact that this dead, spiritless attitude was becoming true of us in nearly all our relations, in our studies, our athletics, our class-meetings, and practically all of our undertakings. We feel certain that the dangers of this condition of mind are apparent to all and that everyone here will be eager to sup-

port any measure intended to lessen or remove them.

Therefore, after a brief survey of the situation in a few typical New England colleges of our own size, we propose that Bowdoin College adopt a system of compulsory athletic training. We advocate a system whereby participation in some form of athletics shall be required of every undergraduate, at least the first two or three years, along lines to be worked out more completely at a later time but roughly as follows: Men should be allowed a choice of football, track, cross-country, tennis, and such other games as seem adapted to conditions here, perhaps golf, boxing and wrestling, fencing, and others as they seem desirable, as well of course as exercise in the gymnasium for those who prefer. During the winter and spring baseball would be added, and perhaps handball and soccer. When a pool is added to our equipment, swimming would provide still another sport. Participation in some one of these forms of athletics would be required throughout the year, two or three hours a week, and attendance would be regulated along lines similar to those now employed in winter track and baseball. Coaches would be provided for the major sports and inter-class and inter-fraternity contests would be promoted to the utmost. All emphasis would be placed on participation by a large number and an opportunity for everyone, especially those not of varsity calibre, to take part in their favorite games with others of about equal ability.

The advantages to be derived from the adoption of this system appear to us to be two-fold. In the first place, and this is our most powerful argument, each individual would secure certain definite benefits. We quote here Dr. Fauver, the director of physical education at Wesleyan, who says, "I believed that athletics offered one of the best means of physical training. It seemed to me that a course in physical training should accomplish certain ends. It should provide for certain healthy, recreative exercise; it should train the student in some form of activity which he would enjoy after he was out of college; it should promote neuro-muscular control resulting in the ability to handle one's body with ease and grace; and it should be corrective. It seemed to me that a system of gymnastics was corrective and promoted to some degree neuro-muscular control, but was not recreative and certainly did not give a student any form of activity which he would enjoy after his college days were behind him." It seemed to me, also, that neuro-muscular control could be secured more naturally in the practice

of natural movements in athletics than in the practice of artificial movements in the gymnasium."

Statistics from Wesleyan and from Amherst, showing the large percentage of the student body taking part in some form of sport, go to prove the worth of this system. The student and the idle undergraduate who enters into no college activities, are both benefitted by the recreation, the play, the spirit of contest, and the physical improvements to be gained from it. Most of us are lazy and too inclined to neglect regular exercise. This system would provide us with that together with the other features mentioned above. It seems to us that every man should support this system primarily for his own good.

In the second place, it is indisputable that Bowdoin's varsity teams would be built up and improved to a marked degree by the introduction of this system. Colleges where this work is required only in the Freshman year report an almost unbroken string of victories by the Freshman teams over the Sophomores. No better method has been suggested of trying out each man and discovering his hidden capability for football or track. We could have class teams and the varsity would never lack a second and third squad to practice with. Every college that has adopted this plan reports a large increase in the number of candidates for the teams, and greater athletic success is a natural result.

Finally we believe that this plan, while not a Utopian ideal nor a panacea for all the ills of our college society, would result in a marked improvement in class and college spirit, and that the benefit to us, as a result of being awakened from our sluggishness, would be tangible.

This measure is not radical. Amherst, Wesleyan and Williams are strong adherents of it. Colgate, Middlebury, the University of Pennsylvania, Cornell, and the University of Wisconsin are other prominent exponents of the plan in some form. It may not be practicable, on account of the expense involved, for us to put this scheme into operation at once for all classes, but we can make a start. We advocate adopting it for the entering class next year, with the intention of developing it further as soon as practicable. In this attempt we want the support of all Bowdoin men. We ask for comments and suggestions, especially from the alumni, and we appeal to the undergraduates for a careful consideration of it. The faculty will probably be willing to try it out if we show our interest, and for that purpose we ask for the coöperation of all who desire the improvement of conditions at Bowdoin.

## COUNCIL FAVORS COMPULSORY ATHLETICS

December 7, 1916.

Whereas, the Student Council of Bowdoin College is of the unanimous opinion that the present system of physical training does not bring the greatest benefit to the greatest number of men, and

Whereas, the outlines of a proposed change to another system of physical training, already in use in other colleges of our type, are given in the editorial in the current ORIENT, and

Whereas, the Student Council is of the unanimous opinion that the inauguration of the proposed system, at least in reference to the incoming Freshman class, would be of the greatest benefit to the men individually, to the College athletic teams, and toward the development of a strong healthy College spirit,

Therefore, be it resolved that,

The Student Council of Bowdoin College puts itself on record as unanimously in favor of the idea underlying the change proposed by the ORIENT and recommends the ORIENT's article to the serious consideration of undergraduates, alumni and faculty of Bowdoin.

## FIRST PHI BETA KAPPA BANQUET

The 140th anniversary of the founding of the Phi Beta Kappa fraternity at William and Mary was observed by the Alpha of Maine at the Falmouth Hotel in Portland last Tuesday evening. This is the first time that such a banquet has been held, the meetings usually being confined to the annual initiation at Commencement. It is probable that the banquet will become an annual institution and steps were taken for the organization of the society in the state.

Professor Grosvenor of Amherst, the president of the United Chapters, Dean Stevens of the University of Maine, Dean Sills, J. L. Liscomb of the Beta Chapter at Colby, and Professor Johnson were the speakers. There were 55 in attendance, including the following faculty men who wear the key: Professors Johnson, Woodruff, Moody, Whittier, Files, Sills, Catlin, Cram, Nixon, Meserve and Mr. MacCormick. The undergraduate members were also in attendance.

## THE 1917 CALENDAR

A most attractive Bowdoin calendar has been published under the management of Sampson '17 and MacCormick '18.

The cover is of gray limp leather with Bowdoin, MCMXVII, and the Bowdoin seal embossed. In the seal the colors black and white are carefully blended. The frontispiece is a full

page view of Chapman Walk; on the last page is an exterior view of the Art Building. Three pages are given up to photographs of the College buildings, including the Chapel, Memorial Hall entrance, interior of the Union, the Cleaveland Cabinet and Hubbard Hall. One page is devoted to football, one to track and another to the Glee Club, showing the dignitaries in all these activities.

It is an exceptionally fine number and should find ready sale. This calendar went on sale yesterday and may be obtained from Sampson at the Beta House, MacCormick at the Delta U House, at the College Store, Chandler's, and at Loring, Short and Harmon's in Portland. All orders from alumni and others will be promptly attended to. The price this year, although the cost of leather and paper has greatly increased, will be one dollar as usual.

#### BILLIARD TOURNAMENT PLANNED

Tournaments in billiards and pool are being planned by the Union Governors to start directly after the Christmas vacation. The games are to be played on the Union tables under the following conditions:

Each player entered in either tournament shall play one game with every other player in that tournament. There will be three prizes whose total value for each tournament shall depend upon the number of entries. For each game of pool the contestants together shall pay a sum of twenty cents, and for each game of billiards a sum of thirty cents. In pool the break shall be open, but every pocket thereafter must be called. A pool game shall consist of 25 points, and in billiards of 50 points.

Each contestant, winner or loser, shall immediately report his number of points for the game at the desk. No contestants shall hold a table for tournament purposes for more than an hour, if at the end of that time any other player wishes to use it. Practice play or extra-tournament games must be paid for at the usual rates. The winners of the tournaments shall be those who have scored the highest number of points. In case of a tie, the play-off shall be two games out of three.

#### ENGLISH 5 DEBATING SCHEDULE

1916-1917

December 12—That the various States should enact laws providing for absent voting. Crane, Kuebler vs. Allen, Gardner. Chairman, Bowdoin.

December 19—That the so-called daylight sav-

ing scheme should be adopted. Coburn, Spear vs. Bowdoin, Niven. Chairman, Coombs.

January 2—Assigned readings, etc., problems of triangular debating.

January 9—That the United States should establish a temporary protectorate in Mexico. Coombs, Young vs. Gardner, Kuebler. Chairman, Allen.

January 16—That Congress should enact laws providing for compulsory arbitration of industrial disputes. Niven, Spear vs. Allen, Crane. Chairman, Gardner.

January 23—That the United States should inaugurate an international league to enforce peace. Bowdoin, Coombs vs. Coburn, Young. Chairman, Kuebler.

#### LEADBETTER STARRED AT JOHNS HOPKINS

Guy W. Leadbetter, captain of Bowdoin's football and track teams last year, has proved a valuable asset to the squad of Johns Hopkins during the season just closed. The Johns Hopkins *News-Letter* spoke in the highest terms of his work in the Western Maryland-Johns Hopkins game when it printed the following article: "The 'Meds' added both weight and experience to the team. The work of Leadbetter a former Bowdoin captain played 'one of the best games at tackle ever witnessed on Homefield Field.'" Again the *Baltimore Sun* spoke of the coming Haverford game. "Well they may start the subs but after they have bumped against Leadbetter and company a few times, it is a reasonable conjecture that they'll take them out and put in veterans." Besides playing wonderful and consistent football, he is taking an active part in the scholastic and social work.

#### With the Faculty

Professors Hormell, McClean, and Milne were among those who took part in the entertainment given by the Madisses Club of the First Parish Congregational Church at the vestry Tuesday evening.

Professor Moody attended the convention of the Associated Mathematics Teachers of New England in Boston last Friday.

Professor Files has recently spoken twice in behalf of good roads for Maine. On December 1 he advocated a mill tax for road money before the Maine Hotel Keepers' Association at the Falmouth Hotel, Portland, and on December 7 he spoke on the same topic to the Gardiner Chamber of Commerce.

Professor Files addressed the Topsham Grange

Saturday night on the subject "Belgium and the Netherlands." The lecture was illustrated with lantern slides.

Professor Burnett spent the Thanksgiving recess in Holyoke, Mass.

Professor Davis on December 1 and 2 attended the meeting in New York of the National Association of Academic Teachers of Public Speaking.

Professor Langley spoke Tuesday to the Men's Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church of Bath. On Sunday morning, December 10, he addressed the students of Hebron in the academy chapel.

Professor Langley has begun an investigation of the mechanical drawing work in the Maine preparatory schools, with the idea of standardizing the work and estimating its value from the point of view of College entrance requirements.

Mr. MacCormick spoke last Monday to the Teachers' Club of Lisbon Falls. He attended the annual Hebron football banquet Friday evening, and on Sunday he addressed a men's meeting at the Bath Y. M. C. A.

and Philadelphia during the Thanksgiving recess.

Professor Hormell spoke to the Men's Class of the High Street Congregational Church of Lewiston, last Sunday, upon "Business Men and the City Business."

Professor Hormell spent last Wednesday morning in Augusta, conducting an investigation of municipal revenues, the results of which are to be embodied as partial information in a bulletin soon to be issued by the College. Professor Hormell is to give to this bulletin the title "Sources of Municipal Revenue in Maine." In his work at Augusta he obtained much information from the State Auditor, the City Treasurer and City Clerk.

Professor Catlin addressed the Shakespeare Club in Lisbon Falls on "Industry and Health" last Wednesday evening.

## On the Campus

The new 1917 college catalogue appeared yesterday.

The Library Assistant examinations will be held Thursday.

Applications for scholarships should be deposited at the treasurer's office immediately.

On Saturday night of the Thanksgiving recess an informal dance was given at the Delta Upsilon house.

The Seniors will hold a class meeting in the Union at 7 o'clock Friday evening, Dec. 15, to elect officers.

Lester F. Wallace *ex-'18* is now studying at Columbia University and is planning to return to Bowdoin next year.

P. G. Clifford '03, a member of the Board of Overseers, was on the campus last week and visited several classes.

All those desiring position as attendants at Union for the second semester will present their applications to Marston '17.

Opportunities will be given to make up physical training on Tuesday at 3.30 P. M. and on Saturday at 2.30 until further notice.

The majority of the fraternities will hold house dances on Thursday evening, Dec. 21, the night before the College Christmas dance.

Burleigh '17, Crosby '17 and Philbrick '17 were at Cleveland, Ohio, last week, attending the annual convention of Delta Kappa Epsilon.

Fencing practice will take place Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 4.30 P. M. and Tuesday and Thursday at 5 in the fencing room at the gymnasium.

Of the 85 girls at the Thanksgiving dances, 40 came from Portland, 12 from Brunswick, six from Bath, and five each from Lewiston, Auburn, and Augusta.

During the Thanksgiving recess the floor of the Union was sandpapered and varnished. This is an indication of the constant use which the Union has had during the past year.

There was a departure from tradition at the chapel on the morning after the Thanksgiving dances. The Seniors stuck to their posts and the guests left chapel in front of the student body.

It is probable that the Interscholastic Debating League will include nine schools instead of eight as heretofore. A final announcement will be made as soon as the different high schools are heard from.

J. L. Scott '18 recently passed the examinations for the second lieutenant's commission in the United States Coast Artillery Corps, and has left College. He will probably leave for his station the first of January.

Graves '19 substituted for one of the regular Brunswick postmen on Thanksgiving Day.

The *Kennebec Journal* of Saturday devoted a column to Professor Files' lecture on Good Roads at Gardiner Friday night.

The Delta Us defeated the Kappa Sigs 5-0 in a fast game of tag football Saturday afternoon.

"Bowdoin students are well dressed every day now. They have sent their old clothes to the wounded in Europe."—*Colby Echo*.

There will be a band rehearsal in Memorial Hall at seven o'clock next Friday evening. All members are urged to be present with their in-



struments as new music demands their attention. There will also be an election of a new manager, vice Scott '18, who has resigned.

The Psi U house was looted of its valuables last Tuesday evening, and there were prospects of considerable excitement before it was discovered that the affair was a practical joke. It leaked out when some of the members tried to prevent having the police notified, and the valuables were forthcoming.

It has become known in the various preparatory schools concerning the scarcity of rooms in the College dormitories this year, and for the first time sub-Freshmen are making applications for rooms in the dormitories for the following year at such an early date. Students who have friends whom they know are planning to enter Bowdoin next year, would do well to advise them to make early application.

### Alumni Notes

'58.—General Jonathan Prince Cilley of Rockland, the only living charter member of the Maine Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States, attended the 30th anniversary banquet of the organization of the association which was held in the Falmouth Hotel, Portland, Wednesday evening. Gen. Cilley is one of the oldest alumni of Bowdoin. It is interesting to note that Major General Joshua Chamberlain, also an alumnus of Bowdoin, was the first president of the Maine Chapter.

'69.—Thomas H. Eaton, who has been cashier of the Chapman National Bank in Portland for more than twenty years, has left to accept a position with a New York financial house.

'91.—At the recent memorial service of Augusta Lodge of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, Hon. Lewis A. Burleigh was the orator of the occasion and delivered the memorial address.

ex-'93.—Arthur Bennett who had, until recently, been living in Hartford, Me., has once more moved to Lewiston, and has resumed his law practice. Eleven years ago Mr. Bennett was stricken with blindness, and after continuing his practise in law for four years under these great difficulties, he finally gave up this work and removed to Hartford. The death of his wife last spring, brought about the removal of Mr. Bennett and his family to their new home at 99½ Ash St., Lewiston.

'94.—Charles M. Leighton has been nominated for alderman of ward three, in the Portland elections.

'96.—John Clair Minot has been elected a mem-

ber of the board of overseers of Nasson Institute. ex-'03.—Harold M. Stevens died in Battle Creek, Mich., Nov. 21, after an illness which extended over a half a year, but which had only recently assumed serious aspects. He was manager and part owner of the Bridgewater Mills just outside of Woodstock, Vt., and owned mills in Lowell, Mass. His own home was in Woodstock, Vt., where he leaves a wife and two children.

Mr. Stevens was born in Portland, Me., 1883. After attending Bowdoin for two years he went to Arizona and ranched for nearly two years. He returned to New York City later and for several years working in wholesale houses, learning the things which finally gave him the opportunity to enter business for himself.

'06.—James W. Sewall of Old Town, Me., has addressed the timber interests of Maine in a letter which proposes for their criticism a change in the present system of forestry administration. The purpose of this plan is to eliminate from such administration pernicious political influences, and admit consecutive policies of management and administration.

'06.—Ralph G. Webber was married to Miss Dora A. Stubbs of Augusta, Me., Nov. 28. The bride is a graduate of the Eastern Maine Conference Seminary. Mr. Webber has at present a position in the office of the Vickery & Hill Publishing Co., of Augusta. The couple will be at home after the first of the new year.

'08.—The wedding of Chester A. Leighton to Miss Jeanne Lefevre, of Waterbury, Conn., has been announced. The couple will make their home in Rutherford, N. J., where Mr. Leighton has a position with the Sperry Engineering Co.

'09.—Ernest L. Goodspeed of Randolph was married to Olive M. Paine of Hallowell recently. He is the son of Judge L. W. Goodspeed, and is practising law in Randolph, having graduated from the Maine Law School in 1913.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Paine of Hallowell and has been teaching in Peabody, Mass., for several years. After a tour through the White Mountains, the couple will reside in Randolph.

'01.—Dr. George L. Pratt is with the Maine recently married to Miss Marie Lawton of Germantown, Pa.

'11.—E. Baldwin Smith of the Princeton University faculty, is engaged to Miss Ruth P. Hall of Princeton, N. J.

'16.—Raymond Richardson has gone to Shanghai, China, in the employ of the Standard Oil Co., of New York.

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## FACULTY LENGTHENS VACATION

Feeling that the Christmas vacation as indicated in the catalogue was not long enough, the faculty has decreed that there shall be no college exercises on Saturday, Dec. 23 or on Tuesday, Jan. 2, thus giving an extra day and a half. Vacation will commence at 4.30 Friday afternoon, and there will be a resumption of the routine on Wednesday, Jan. 3 at chapel. The usual restrictions are in force.

## FACULTY PETITIONS PRESIDENT

The following petition was sent to President Wilson by the faculty at its last meeting:

"To the President of the United States,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:—We, the undersigned members of the faculty of Bowdoin College wish to express to you our gratification on account of the steps already taken by this government in presenting to the imperial government of Germany the attitude of the American people toward the deportation of Belgian citizens.

We further beg to offer our urgent petition that the government of the United States use every effort to secure the coöperation of other neutrals in making this protest effective.

We make this petition in the belief that the principles here involved are so fundamental to civilization that neutral nations cannot with either honor or safety fail to make their position immediately and unmistakably known."

This petition is signed by every member of the faculty with the exception of Prof. Roscoe J. Ham, professor of German, who is at present in Russia as a special assistant to the American Ambassador.

## FENCING SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED

Captain-Manager J. E. Gray '18 has announced as fencing dates:

Jan. 19 Harvard at Cambridge, Feb. 10 Yale at New Haven, Feb. 29 Springfield Y. M. C. A. College at Brunswick.

## QUILL BOARD ELECTS

At the annual election of the Quill board yesterday, Colter '18 and Atwood '19 were chosen.

## FRATERNITIES ALL FOR NEW PLAN

### ALPHA DELTA PHI

Resolved, that the Bowdoin chapter of Alpha Delta Phi go on record as unanimously in favor of the plan of athletics as outlined in the ORIENT of Dec. 12.

### PSI UPSILON

Resolved, that the Kappa chapter of Psi Upsilon go on record as unanimously in favor of the plan of athletics as outlined in the ORIENT of Dec. 12.

### DELTA KAPPA EPSILON

Resolved, that the Theta chapter of Delta Kappa Epsilon go on record as unanimously in favor of the plan of athletics as outlined in the ORIENT of Dec. 12.

### THETA DELTA CHI

Resolved, that the Eta chapter of Theta Delta Chi go on record as unanimously in favor of the plan of athletics as outlined in the ORIENT of Dec. 12.

### ZETA PSI

Resolved, that the Lambda chapter of Zeta Psi go on record as unanimously in favor of the plan of athletics as outlined in the ORIENT of Dec. 12.

### DELTA UPSILON

Resolved, that the Bowdoin chapter of Delta Upsilon go on record as unanimously in favor of the plan of athletics as outlined in the ORIENT of Dec. 12.

### KAPPA SIGMA

Resolved, that the Alpha Rho chapter of Kappa Sigma go on record as unanimously in favor of the plan of athletics as outlined in the ORIENT of Dec. 12.

### BETA THETA PI

Resolved, that the Beta Sigma chapter of Beta Theta Pi go on record as 23 to 2 in favor of the plan of athletics as outlined in the ORIENT of Dec. 12.

### BETA CHI

Resolved, that the Beta Chi fraternity go on record as unanimously in favor of the plan of athletics as outlined in the ORIENT of Dec. 12.

### PHI THETA UPSILON

Resolved, that the Phi Theta Upsilon fraternity go on record as unanimously in favor of the plan

of athletics as outlined in the ORIENT of Dec. 12.  
BOWDOIN CLUB

Resolved, that the Bowdoin Club go on record as unanimously in favor of the plan of athletics outlined in the ORIENT of Dec. 12.

#### FIRST INFORMAL HOP A SUCCESS

The first of the series of informal dances to be held in the Union this winter took place Saturday night and was highly successful from the point of view of numbers present and the gaiety of the affair. About twenty couples were present, although the night was stormy, and the Union was filled with as many as could comfortably fill the floor. If fair weather makes the dances even more popular, a limitation of the number of couples will have to be made and the union governors are considering a plan of selling tickets in advance as a means of keeping the numbers down. The music was furnished by Stetson '18 and a few dances were run off to the music of the Union Victrola. The success of the dance Saturday night certainly insures the continuance of the series throughout the winter.

#### PLAYERS PLEASE PORTLAND

Under the auspices of the Bowdoin Club of Portland, the Masque and Gown presented Pierre Patelin and Indian Summer in the Pythian Temple Friday evening. Though there was a blizzard raging in the big city, there was a good attendance and a dance followed the play. The players were in good condition for their first play, and the performance was a decided success. The Pierre Patelin was the more professional production, and there was a decidedly good setting of scenery and costumes. Willey '17 played the title role and received very favorable comment. He was very natural as a delirious man feigning illness.

To quote the Portland morning paper "J. Burton Stride made a very good wife, while the third important part of the draper played by Lowry A. Biggers, was a fine bit of acting. Chester C. Maguire made an excellent simpleton." Mrs. Arthur Brown, the coach, received many congratulations on the work of her charges.

The casts were:

#### MASTER PIERRE PATELIN

Pierre Patelin ..... F. W. Willey '17  
Grullemette, his wife ..... J. Burton Stride '17  
The Draper ..... L. A. Biggers '17  
The Shepherd ..... C. Maguire '17  
The Judge ..... Asnault '20

Act I Outside the Draper's Shop.

Act II Scene 1 Patelin's House.

Scene 2 Outside the Draper's Shop.

#### ACT III The Market Place.

#### INDIAN SUMMER

Briqueville ..... L. A. Biggers '17  
Noel ..... J. E. Gray '18  
Adrienne ..... W. Angus '19  
Madame Lebreton ..... Redman '20  
Scene—Parlor in Briqueville's House.

#### COLLEGE NUMBERS 434

The annual catalogue was published last week and can now be obtained at the Dean's office. It gives the total registration this year as 488; 434 in the academical department, and 54 in the medical school with three names counted twice. The detailed account follows:

#### INSTRUCTORS

Academical Faculty .....	30
Medical Faculty .....	63
Total .....	93
Names Counted Twice .....	7
Corrected Total .....	86

#### STUDENTS

##### Academical Department

Seniors .....	84
Juniors .....	85
Sophomores .....	98
Freshmen; First Year .....	142
Freshmen; Second Year .....	15
Special Students .....	10
Total .....	434

#### MEDICAL SCHOOL

Fourth Year .....	10
Third Year .....	19
Second Year .....	15
First Year .....	10

Total .....	54
Total in the Institution .....	488
Names Counted Twice .....	3

Corrected Total ..... 485

The interest bearing funds of the College on March 31, 1916 were \$2,401,653.64, an increase of \$137,619.50 over the year ending March 31, 1915. The expenditures for the maintenance of the College during the past year amounted to \$163,707.22.

#### CLASS DEBATE WEDNESDAY

The annual debate between the Sophomores and the Freshmen, which was to take place last night, and was postponed owing to the Cleveland lecture, will be held Wednesday night at eight o'clock in the Debating Room, Hubbard Hall. The subject under discussion will be, Resolved;

That the United States should adopt a system of universal military training. The Freshman team consisting of Badger, Congreve, Taylor and Skillin, alternate, will uphold the affirmative. Coburn, Foulke, Paul and Greene, alternate, will debate for the Sophomores.

#### BISHOP BREWSTER SPEAKS AT VESPERS

"Be ye doers of the word, and not hearers only," was the text chosen by Right Rev. Benjamin Brewster, Bishop of Maine, speaking as College preacher at the chapel vespers Sunday afternoon.

Bishop Brewster urged the students to apply this verse literally to themselves; to live active lives, doing good works,—not passive existences, merely absorbing the wise teachings of their fellows. He emphasized the truth that "Virtue is its own reward." He depicted the difference between "joy" and "pleasure." The artist derives *pleasure* from the money which his pictures bring, but gains true *joy* only by *creating*. The preacher exhorted his hearers to face their problems, in College and in after years, with courage and faith, and to make service to their fellows the dominant purpose of their lives.

#### MUSIC AT SUNDAY VESPERS

The following musical program was given at the chapel vespers Sunday:

Organ Prelude, Andante (from String Quartet)	<i>Tschaikovsky</i>
Gloria Patri .....	<i>Greatorex</i>
Hymn	
Anthem, "Arise! Shine, For Thy Light Is Come,"	<i>Maker</i>
Threefold Amen .....	<i>Anglican</i>
Postlude, "Grand Chorus," .....	<i>Gulmair</i>

#### CHRISTMAS DANCE

The Christmas dance to be held in the Gymnasium on Friday evening bids fair to be a grand success from every standpoint, if enthusiasm on the campus counts for anything. The music, decorations, orders, favors and surprises are the best and cleverest the committee could secure. Inasmuch as the faculty has ruled that all college dances must close at one o'clock, the dance will therefore commence at eight sharp.

The tax, including refreshments, will be \$3.00 the couple. The order has been posted on the bulletin board.

#### FIVE FRATERNITIES TO DANCE THURSDAY

Several fraternities are planning dances to be held at the various chapter houses Thursday

evening. The Alpha Delta Phi will hold forth at the Union; the Psi Upsilon and Delta Kappa Epsilon will dance jointly at the Deke house, and Theta Delta Chi and Zeta Psi will hold their dances at their respective houses.

Alpha Delta Phi will have Sprague's Society Orchestra from Portland. The patronesses will be: Mrs. William A. Moody, Mrs. Charles C. Hutchins, Miss Little, all of Brunswick, Mrs. Harrison Chapman of Portland, Mrs. Delmont Emerson of Island Falls, and Mrs. F. A. Dunham of Rumford. The committee in charge of the dance are: True '17, chairman, Rickard '17, J. W. Thomas '18, Ham '19, and Sturgis '20.

Psi Upsilon and Delta Kappa Epsilon will have Kelley '16's Orchestra. The patronesses will be: Mrs. H. C. Baxter and Mrs. Forrest Goodwin. The committee in charge are: Shumway '17, chairman, Spalding '17, and Ripley '18.

Theta Delta Chi will have Stetson's Orchestra of Brunswick. The patronesses are: Mrs. Wilmot B. Mitchell, Mrs. Alaric W. Haskell, Mrs. Charles Gilman, Mrs. William Porter. The committee in charge are Stearns '18, chairman, Barton '19, McPartland '20.

At the Zeta Psi dance the Orpheum Orchestra of Portland will furnish the music. The patronesses will be: Mrs. Henry Johnson, Mrs. William H. Davis, Mrs. Lee D. McClean, Mrs. Rhys D. Evans. The committee in charge are: Marston '17, chairman, Moulton '18, Lombard '19, P. W. Smith '20.

#### BOWDOIN MEN OF WORCESTER MEET

The Bowdoin men of Worcester met in one of a series of monthly meetings at the Worcester Automobile Club for an informal dinner December 14. Fourteen were present, a greater number than have met before.

A number of new men have come to the city. Paul Wing '15 is learning the steel business at the Worcester Pressed Steel Company, one of the largest pressed metal concerns in the country. Hawes '16 is with the same company.

John Leydon *ex-'18*, Stuart Robinson *ex-'17*, and Hazeltine *ex-'17* are all with the Norton Company, the largest grinding wheel manufacturing concern in the world.

Sam Colton *ex-'17* is to leave for France the first of the year to join the American section of the French Aviation Corps. He was with the Allies as an ambulance driver for several months last year.

Winthrop S. Greene '13 has received a commission as Second Lieutenant in the Army Officers Reserve Corps.



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### The Elective Athletic Training

We are glad that we are able to report good progress on the plan for compulsory, elective athletic training for Freshmen, proposed a week ago. The vote taken in the fraternity meetings last Wednesday evening resulted in an almost unanimous endorsement of the principle of the proposition and such faculty members and students as have seen the outline of the work proposed for next fall are enthusiastically in favor of it. Almost no word of protest has as yet been

heard and the chances seem good for Bowdoin to take a big forward step by the introduction of the elective system into her physical training as well as into her curriculum. Ninety per cent of the colleges in the Carnegie Foundation have adopted some scheme of this nature, and it is high time for us to join the large majority before we are left alone in the old ways.

It is important, however, if this plan is put into effect next year, for us to carry out the spirit behind it. It will accomplish little good if entering Freshmen are advised to elect tennis as a cinch and are warned away from football. We should aim to get every man out for that sport for which he is suited. An editorial in a current magazine says in part, "Athletics in schools and colleges persistently selects those candidates who need athletic training least, because they are already so well developed bodily as to give promise of exceptional performance. The hollow-chested boy and girl are usually slighted. As now mainly organized, athletics in school and college elects the underdeveloped to sit in the grandstand and shout." It is this condition that we wish to improve, and unless we are willing to talk and act to that end, no formal plan can be of much help.

### BOWDOIN PLAYS BATES IN HOCKEY

Negotiations are under way for a hockey game with a Bates independent team, which will be held at Lewiston on Saturday, Jan. 6.

The Bowdoin team will probably be the following:-

Little '17, l. w.  
Bradford '17, Irving, c.  
Bartlett '17, McCarthy, r. w.  
McNinch '18, Hanson, c. p.  
Phillips '17, Cate '20, goal.

### EIGHTEEN JOIN CHURCH ON HILL

Eighteen members of Bowdoin's student body were received into the membership of the Church on the Hill last Sunday. Those received were as follows: On confession of faith, Roland H. Peacock '18, Joseph L. Badger '20, Louis B. Bennett '20, Leland M. Goodrich '20.

By letter from All Souls' Congregational Church, Bangor, Abner W. Roundtree '18.

By letter from other churches for membership during their residence in Brunswick, Robert H. Adams '20, Raymond Asnault '20, Howard L. Chick '20, Sanford B. Cousins '20, Mortimer B. Crossman '20, Charles R. Campbell '20, Douglass A. Haddock '20, Lawrence B. Merrill '20, Leland H. Moses '20, Crosby E. Redman '20, C. Albert

Skillin '20, Merle A. Wood '20, Tracy S. Wood '20.

#### RECEPTION TO NEW MEMBERS

A reception for the student members of the church and the men of the congregation was given at 7.15 P. M. in the vestry of the Church on the Hill. A goodly number were present. The entertainment began with singing by the choir, consisting of Professors Burnett and Langley, and Joyce and Hall from the student body. After the singing President Hyde and Dr. Goodrich gave short talks. They were followed by the speaker of the evening, Rev. Ashley D. Leavitt, D.D. of Portland, who chose as his subject "What Time Is It?"

#### FRESHMAN SONS AND BROTHERS

The following is a list of Freshmen who have had either fathers or brothers in Bowdoin College:

##### FRESHMAN SONS

S. B. Adams is the son of W. F. Adams '99.  
S. B. Cousins is the son of E. M. Cousins '77.  
W. W. Curtis is the son of W. W. Curtis '82.  
H. H. Davies is the son of O. S. Davies '79.  
C. A. Haggerty is the son of Chas. Haggerty '81.  
P. W. Smith is the son of Burton Smith '89.  
R. D. Turner is the son of O. W. Turner '90.

##### FRESHMAN BROTHERS

L. Cate is the brother of Harold Cate '14.  
W. M. Cook is the brother of E. W. Cook '17.  
M. B. Crossman is the brother of A. H. Crossman '16.  
A. H. Drummond is the brother of J. B. Drummond '07.  
G. G. Huston is the brother of R. C. Huston '12.  
L. McElwee is the brother of L. S. McElwee '16.

R. K. McWilliams is the brother of G. A. McWilliams '15.

C. A. Skillin is the brother of W. F. Skillin '11.

It is also interesting to note that the following Freshmen: Bartlett, Curtis, Cutler, Davies, Davis, Goodhue, Lamb, Lombard, Redman, Small and Turner are sons of doctors, six of whom attended the Maine Medical School.

#### FACULTY AND STUDENTS IN PLAY

The first closed performance of this year will be given in the Cumberland theatre on the evening of January fourth. The play, as already announced, is "The Misleading Lady." Rehearsals are in progress with the following cast: Jack Craigen ..... Professor Van Cleave  
John W. Connell ..... John A. Cone

Henry Tracey ..... Albert Le Tarte  
Sidney Parker ..... G. Allen Howe  
Stephen Weatherbee ..... Mr. Baxter  
Keen Fitzpatrick ..... Francis T. Garland '18  
Boney ..... Professor Brown  
Tim McMahon ..... J. Lester Scott  
Bill Fagan ..... Lawrence A. Brown  
"Babe" Merrill ..... Mr. MacCormick  
"Spider" Sanborn ..... Biggers '17  
Helen Steele ..... Miss Mary Elliott  
Mrs. John W. Connell ..... Miss Helen Varney  
Jane Wentworth ..... Miss Ellen Baxter  
Amy Foster ..... Miss Marguerite Hutchins  
Grace Buchanan ..... Miss Belle Smith  
Act I. Country home of John Connell on the Upper Hudson. Evening.

Act II. Eagle Lodge in the wilderness of the Adirondacks. Same evening.

Act III. Same as Act II. Early next morning.

The production will be under the direction of Professor Davis. Mr. Arnold Burton is to stage the play. The prompter is Mrs. C. C. Hutchins. The committee in charge of the play consists of Mrs. G. Allen Howe, chairman, Mrs. G. M. Elliott, Mrs. G. S. Stetson and Miss Lida Baker.

It is hoped to give as a curtain-riser, Barrie's Twelve Pound Book with the following cast: Sir Harry Sims ..... Professor Files  
Lady Sims ..... Miss Sarah Baxter  
Kate, a typist ..... Mrs. Wilmont B. Mitchell

The club is to hold a meeting tonight to act on a proposed amendment to the by-laws, making membership in the club open to Bowdoin students. The annual dues of the club are payable to the treasurer, Mr. Samuel B. Furbish, from whom membership cards may be obtained.

#### INDOOR SHOOTING

The intercollegiate indoor shooting matches will begin January 27, 1917, and there will be twelve weekly competitions. The ten high guns will be chosen for each contest.

The amounts will be made up as soon as the orders of targets, rifles and ammunition arrive. The ammunition is being purchased at cost from the government and may be purchased at the rate of 25 cents a hundred shots. Posters will be placed on the bulletin board with more information as soon as it is possible.

#### VALUED GIFTS TO ART COLLECTION

In November the Art Museum received a small but very beautiful autumn landscape in oil by Ben Foster, as a gift from Mrs. Bradbury Bedell of Philadelphia.

Although Mrs. Bedell has no personal connection with Bowdoin, her delight in our small Col-

lege museum prompted the gift.

American painters are well represented in the Walker Art Building, but a Ben Foster has long been coveted, not only because the artist is one of the foremost landscape artists of today, but also because he is a native of Maine. He was born in North Anson, Maine, and has a studio in New York. He is a member of the National Academy of the American Water Color Society, of the National Arts Club, New York, and of the National Institute of Arts and Letters.

In December a collection of Maine tourmaline gems was given to the College by Mr. and Mrs. John A. Towne. They are twenty-eight in number, ranging in every variety of color from deep green, to blue, pink and white. They were cut by Mr. Towne himself and make a very beautiful contribution to the collection of gems owned by the College.

### WHAT 1916 IS DOING

Barrett has entered the University of Pennsylvania Medical School.

Bate is principal of the Wayne High School.

Baxter is instructor in German at Bowdoin College.

Beal is principal of the New Gloucester High School.

Bird is in business in Rockland.

Brackett is in journalistic business at Phillips.

Brewster is principal of the Old Orchard High School.

Brown is in graduate work in history at Princeton.

Burnham is principal of the Pembroke High School.

Campbell is in graduate work in the Andover Theological School at Cambridge, Mass.

Canney is in graduate work in the Andover Theological School.

Carter is in business in Wilmington, Del.

Cartland is in graduate work at M. I. T.

Chase is in business in Boston, Mass.

Churchill has taken up teaching at Williston Academy, Easthampton, Mass.

Cronin is in journalism at Rumford Falls.

Crossman is in the insurance business in Boston, Mass.

Cruff is in graduate work in the Harvard Medical School.

Drapeau is at the University of Maine Law School.

Drummond is in business in Portland.

Dunn is in business in Boston.

Dyar is teaching in San Francisco, Cal.

Edwards is in business in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Elliott is in business in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Evans is in journalism in Dover.

Foster is in business in Portland.

Fraser is in business in Manila, Philippine Islands.

Fuller is in business in Boston.

Garland is in business in Walpole, Mass.

George is in business in Rockland.

Goods is in business in South Framingham, Mass.

Goodskey is teaching school in Bristol, Conn.

Grierson is teaching school in Stratton.

Hall is in business in Augusta.

Hargraves is in the insurance business in Portland.

Hart is principal of the High School in Limestone.

Hawes is in business in Worcester, Mass.

Head is in graduate work in the Harvard School of Business Administration.

Hescock is teaching in Taunton (Mass.) High School.

Hight is teaching in the Searsport High School.

Hodgkins is in business in Providence, R. I.

Ireland is in business in Bangor.

Irving is in graduate work in biology at Harvard University.

Kelley is attending an art school in Boston, Mass.

Kinsey is in graduate work in biology at Harvard University.

Larrabee is sub-master of the Stuyvesant School in Warrenton, Virginia.

Leadbetter is in graduate work in medicine at the Johns Hopkins University.

Little is in the bank business in Boston, Mass.

Littlefield is in the wool business in Eaton Rapids, Mich.

Lord is in graduate work at M. I. T.

MacDonald is a minister in Richmond.

McElwee is in the bank business in Houlton.

Merrill is in graduate work in the Harvard Medical School.

Moulton is in the jewelry business in Attleboro, Mass.

Nickerson has entered the Bowdoin Medical School.

Noble is working in the Congressional Library in Washington and is studying law.

Olson is in the construction business in Medford, Mass.

L. F. Parmenter is a chemist for the Diamond Match Co. in Los Angeles, Cal.

R. C. Parmenter is teaching school at Oxford.

Parsons is studying law at the Harvard Law School.

Pettingill is in business in Rumford.

Proctor is in business in Providence, R. I.

Richardson represents the Standard Oil Co. in Shanghai, China.

Robie is in business in Portland.

Sayward is in the insurance business in Portland.

Schwartz is with the National Banking Corporation, being located at present at Manila, P. I. Stratton is in business in Auburn.

Stuart is in business in Montreal, Canada.

Thomas is teaching school in Wisconsin.

Trust has a pastorate in Winthrop.

Weatherill is in graduate work in chemistry at Harvard University.

Weick is practising law in Presque Isle.

D. S. White is in graduate work in English at Princeton.

L. R. White has entered the Bowdoin Medical School.

Winter is in graduate work at Harvard University.

Wood has entered the University of Maine Law School.

Woodman is in the book publishing business in Boston.

Yenetchi is in the insurance business in Boston, Mass.

#### THE LIBRARY TABLE

Lately the Library has added 28 new books to the case of famous novels, near the entrance to the reading room. Many of these books are standard fiction written by some of the best authors such as Dumas, Holmes, Hugo, Scott and Thackeray.

Three of these books are written by Jules Verne as a sequel to "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea." They are sometimes put under one title as "Mysterious Island," but here they come under three distinct heads as "Abandoned," "Dropped from the Clouds" and "The Secret of the Island."

Together with these novels a number of biographies have been recently procured. Some of the best are the Life of Booker T. Washington by Scott and Smith; of Samuel Butler by J. F. Harris; of Oliver W. Holmes by S. M. Crothers, and of Thomas Hardy by Harold Child. An autobiography by Admiral George Dewey also comes in with these volumes.

#### WINTER BASEBALL

The winter baseball squad is now hard at its training. A large number of students are out and fine results are anticipated. The men are: Seniors 11, Juniors 10, Sophomores 22, Fresh-

men 13.

1917—Babcock, Bradford, Chapman, Greely, Humphrey, Jacob, Marston, Peacock, Pike, Phillips, Shumway; 1918—Donnell, Murch, Needelman, Palmer, Pendleton, Prosser, Reynolds, Van Wart, Woodman, Woodworth; 1919—Boratis, Butterfield Caspar, Doherty, Finn, Graves, Grooner, F. P. Hall, Ham, Holbrook, Irving, McCarthy; 1920—S. B. Adams, W. M. Cook, K. B. Coombs, Dostie, Foster, Haggerty, Hall, McElwee, O. Moses, Prosser, Zeitler.

#### WINTER TRACK AND RELAY

The following men report three times a week for track work, substituting that for gym:

1917—Campbell, Crane, Fenning, McConaughy, Fillmore, Rickard, Biggers, Sampson, White; 1918—Call, MacCormick, Ripley, Savage, Stanley, Stewart, Warren, Young, Peacock, Walker, Hanson; 1919—Foulke, Higgins, E. Holbrook; F. O. Johnson, Lombard, Patrick, Sawyer, Vance, Minot; 1920—Rhoads, Dostie, P. W. Smith, Mason, R. H. Adams, Leach, Hay, Doe, Mansfield, Merrill, Avery, Daggett, Marshall, Turner, Wadsworth, Brown, Wyman, Sturgis, Houghton, Delehanty, Jones, McWilliams, Ford, Rowell, Guptil, Noyes.

The relay men are:

1917—Crosby, Webber, Pierce; 1918—Gray, Simonton; 1919—Hildreth, McCarthy, Mosher, Sullivan, Turner, Knight, Johnson, Mitchell, Perkins, Sprague; 1920—Harris, Smith, Cleaves, Allen, Saxon, Flanders, Wyman, Cutler, Millard, Whitney, Leavitt.

#### MORE BOOKS BY ALUMNI

The following publications have been received by the library:

A Discourse on Social Salvation by George C. Cressey '75.

The Flow of Water Through Pipes, by George T. Prince '76.

Hylobius Pales as a Factor in the Reproduction of Conifers in New England, by Edward E. Carter '02.

Mineral Waters, by Richard B. Dole '02, and a treatise on the chemical character of the waters of Northeastern Arkansas by the same author.

A Revision of the Parasitic Hymenopterous Insects of the Genus *Aphycus* Mayr, by Philip H. Timberlake '08.

#### CUMBERLAND COUNTY LEADS

Of the 434 students in College this year, 296 are residents of Maine. Cumberland County leads with 82 in attendance; Penobscot is second with 27; and Kennebec and Sagadahoc are third



with 23 each. The class of 1917 leads in two counties, Kennebec and Knox; class of 1918 in Cumberland; class of 1919 in Androscoggin and Oxford; and the class of 1920 in the eleven remaining counties. The distribution of students by counties is as follows:

County	1917	1918	1919	1920
Androscoggin	2	3	8	6
Aroostook	2	0	1	4
Cumberland	13	27	17	25
Franklin	1	1	2	6
Hancock	1	1	3	4
Kennebec	8	3	5	7
Knox	4	1	4	3
Lincoln	3	0	2	4
Oxford	3	2	7	3
Penobscot	5	4	6	12
Piscataquis	1	3	1	3
Sagadahoc	1	3	4	15
Somerset	2	4	2	6
Waldo	0	0	1	2
Washington	1	4	2	9
York	4	3	3	9
Total	54	59	68	118

#### THE COLLEGE CHORUS

Six more members were added to the chorus last week and the seats on the platform of Memorial Hall were nearly filled at the last rehearsal. The arrangement of the platform seats in Memorial Hall, with their curving sectional order, in three terraces, with the wall directly behind to reflect the sound, is an ideal one for a large choral body, for performance as well as rehearsal. Several of the new Bowdoin songs have been set to music and are included in the chorus program. "Male chorusing" is receiving enthusiastic support from the student body. Still more tenors are needed.

#### With the Faculty

Professor Woodruff preached in Falmouth, last Sunday.

Dr. Whittier was in South Paris Thursday, Dec. 14, where he was called as witness in the District Court.

Dr. Whittier will attend the meeting of the American Collegiate Athletic Association in New York during the Christmas holidays.

Professor Files presided at the annual meeting and banquet of the Maine Automobile Association held at Portland last Wednesday. This was the biggest and most successful affair of its kind ever held in this State, and many advocates of the Good Roads Movement were in attendance.

Professor Mitchell will address the Bowdoin Club of Portland in that city on Thursday.

Professor Ham will be back Feb. 1.

Professor Hormell will address the Lisbon Falls Board of Trade tonight, using as his subject "Business of Town Government."

Professor Cram was in Portland, Wednesday, as witness in the Curtis case, then being tried in the District Court.

#### On the Campus

Spagett was on the campus last week.

Nevens *ex-'18*, was on the Campus Sunday.

F. E. Briggs '94 was on the campus last week.

The Glee Club will have its picture taken this noon.

The Abraxas met at the Eagle last Saturday night.

Libby '18 has left College on account of ill health.

Louis C. Doherty '19 was elected to the ORIENT board last week.

There will be no meeting of the Bowdoin chorus this week.

McGorrill '19 is supply preacher at the Baptist Church in Bowdoinham.

There will be a Freshman examination in algebra Friday afternoon at 1.30.

About 2500 copies of the annual catalogue were mailed off to alumni in various parts of the globe last week.

The Senior class meeting has been postponed to Friday evening, Jan. 5, 1917, at seven o'clock in the Union.

MacCormick '18 has been chosen to replace Jacob '19 on the Bugle board as representative from Delta Upsilon.

There is a meeting of the Classical Club tonight at the home of Professor Nixon. The Ibis will also meet tonight.

Needelman '18 is coaching Freeport High basketball team this winter. He played three years on Portland High.

The corridors in the physics end and the physics laboratory of the Searles Science Building, have been painted white.

Among those on the campus recently were Ellis A. Spear, Jr., '98, McKenney '15, Hall '16, Sayward '16 and Yenetchi '16.

The Freshmen are requested to pay the class tax which was voted at the last meeting, to the treasurer, Redmond, at 28 North Appleton.

Owing to the extra time for the Christmas holidays granted by the faculty, the office will grant no requests for extensions to students living in New England.

The Chemistry Club held a meeting last Thursday at the Phi Theta Upsilon house. Two papers on Industrial Chemistry were read by Crane '17 and Gregory '17.

After the schedule had been completed, Bowdoin had offers to play Dartmouth, Brown and Princeton in football next fall. Among the other colleges which wrote for dates were Holy Cross, Boston College, New York University and New Hampshire State.

The Maine Commandery, Order of the Loyal Legion, voted last Wednesday night, to ask the Legislature to provide funds for the erection of statues in honor of two of Bowdoin's Civil War heroes, Generals O. O. Howard '50 and J. L. Chamberlain '52, on the Gettysburg battlefield.

### CALENDAR

Dec.

#### TUESDAY

- 19 3.30 P. M. Gym makeup classes.  
5.00 P. M. Glee Club rehearsal, Music Room.  
8.00 P. M. Classical Club at Professor Nixon's.  
Ibis Society meeting.

#### WEDNESDAY

- 20 5.00 P. M. Mandolin Club rehearsal, Memorial Hall.  
8.00 P. M. Freshman-Sophomore debate. Memorial Hall.

#### THURSDAY

- 21 Alpha Delt. dance.  
Deke-Psi U dance at Deke house.  
Theta Delt. dance.  
Zeta dance.

#### FRIDAY

- 22 4.30 P. M. Christmas recess begins.  
College Christmas dance at Gym.

Jan.

- 3 8.30 College Lectures resume.

### Alumni Notes

'58.—Rev. Isaiah P. Smith, retired clergyman and author, died at his home in Methuen, Mass., Dec. 11, of bronchial pneumonia.

Mr. Smith was born in North Bridgton, Me., in 1833. After receiving his degree from Bowdoin, he studied at the Bangor Theological Seminary, graduating from there in 1861. He enlisted at the outbreak of the Civil War as chaplain of the 29th Maine Regiment and served in this capacity until the close of the war.

Following the war he had pastorates in various States of the Union, ranging from Nebraska through most of the New England States. In 1892 he entered the field of teaching and was the

principal of the Burgess Institute of Waterbury, Conn., and the Salem, N. H., school. In 1903 he became president of Shenandoah College, Reliance, Va.

His translation into English hexameter verse of Virgil's Eclogues was used in the Latin classes of Yale.

'61.—The Lewiston Journal of Dec. 9, prints an article complimentary to the vigorous old age of former Chief Justice Emery. It speaks of the recent book "Justice," written by Mr. Emery and mentions the series of law lectures which he is now delivering at Boston University.

'85.—Rev. John Coleman Hall has recently accepted the pastorate of the Congregational Church in Yucaipa, Cal. During the past year he did missionary work in the desert region of California, and this year three men are doing the work in which he was engaged there. He was responsible for the organization of a church in Ludlow, Cal. In Yucaipa, which is in the heart of the apple growing region, he is building a home and intends to settle there. Mr. Hall held pastorates in Massachusetts for over 20 years.

'87.—Charles H. Verrill is a nominee for the office of vice-president of the American Statistical Association.

Medic '04.—Two addresses by Dr. Edwin W. Gehring of Portland, Me., have recently been published by the Portland Press, and the Kennebec Journal, respectively. One, delivered to the members of the Portland Medical Club, Dec. 7, compares our national system of medical training very unfavorably with the systems at present extant in Germany and England. The other, read before the Maine State Nurses Association at the Augusta Hospital, Dec. 13, is an able article on the causes, treatment, and prevention of Tuberculosis.

'04.—Arthur C. Shorey married Miss Emma L. Gibbs of Bridgton, Me., Dec. 12. Mr. Shorey is with the International Banking Co. After their wedding trip the couple will make their home in the suburbs of New York.

'08.—The engagement of Attorney Maurice P. Merrill of Skowhegan, Me., and Miss Ruth P. Lander of Malden, Mass., has been announced. The bride to be is now a senior at Simmons College.

'01.—Artelle E. Palmer has severed his connection with the Eastern Manufacturing Company and taken a position with the Blue River Lumber Company, Limited, of Riviere Bleue, P. Q.

'01.—The latest work by John Alexander Pierce is the editing of "The Masterpieces of Modern Drama," (Doubleday, Page & Co., 1916).

'10.—Word has been received of the engage-

ment of Carleton Eaton, instructor in the University of Maine Forestry School, to Miss Mollie Haskell of Bridgton, Me.

'11.—David S. Hyler, formerly of Rockland, Me., has been appointed assistant manager of the new hotel Holden, in Dayton, Ohio.

'12.—Maurice P. Hill has entered the employ of the Ordway Plaster Co., of Camden, Me., where he is connected with the executive department.

'12.—Arthur D. Welch of Portland, Me., has been elected a vice-president of the National Young Men's Democratic League.

#### TOO MUCH FRATERNITY?

Many things can be said in favor of a fraternity system such as we have at Amherst. Most of us believe it to be the most satisfactory system of grouping at a college of the character of this institution. But our belief in this scheme of things should not blind us to its faults. One of the greatest of these appears to be the danger of overemphasis, a subordination of the college spirit to fraternity loyalty, due in great measure to the fact that there is little opportunity for Amherst men to meet each other except as members of a fraternity in a fraternity house.

All of us, theoretically, concede that the college comes, or should come, before the fraternity; but how far is this theory carried out in practice? Do we think first of our college, or of our fraternity? Why do we try to persuade men to come to Amherst? For the good of the college? As a general rule (with praiseworthy exceptions) we look upon them rather as prospective members of our fraternity. Even an attempt to hold a "Subfreshman Day" last spring was turned into a miniature rushing season. When a man is running for office, is not our first thought often "What crowd does he belong to?" And does not this, rather than a consideration of his fitness for the position, decide us? When we consider the prospects for a team's season it is seldom that we consider its chances for success before we consider what members of our fraternity will be among its members.

We believe that, on the whole, fraternity spirit is a thing worth while. We do not suggest as a remedy that fraternity loyalty be decreased, but that college loyalty be placed in its proper position above it. That we return to our prep school geometries, and relearn the old theorem that "The whole is greater than any of its parts," and that we elevate above our chapters the college to which they owe their existence.

—*The Amherst Student.*

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## NEAL TUTTLE APPOINTED

### RHODES SCHOLAR

Neal Tuttle '14 was recently appointed as the Rhodes Scholar from Maine as a result of the examinations held last fall and will study at Oxford during the next three years.

He is the sixth Bowdoin man to win the honor, the others being David R. Porter '06, Robert Hale '10, Edward E. Kern '11, Laurence A. Crosby '13, and Robert P. Coffin '15. Tuttle was graduated *magna cum laude* in the class of 1914, and during the following year was instructor in chemistry at Bowdoin. Last year, he taught in the Fessenden School in West Newton, Mass., and has entered the Harvard Graduate School for work in chemistry this fall. While in College, Tuttle played on the 'varsity baseball team, was president of the Deutscher Verein and won the Sewall Latin Prize. He is a member of the Theta Delta Chi and Phi Beta Kappa fraternities.

Since the competition for the Rhodes Scholarships has been open to men from the four Maine colleges, they have been captured by Bowdoin men five times in six years. The Rhodes Scholars from Bowdoin at Oxford have left excellent records, and Bowdoin is one of the few colleges in the country, graduation from which admits the scholars without further examination. Tuttle will leave for England in a few months.

## SHUMWAY SENIOR PRESIDENT

The Seniors held their annual election last Friday evening and also voted to revive the custom of wearing the cap and gown during the last month of College. The following officers were elected:

President—Sherman N. Shumway  
Vice-President—Roland H. Cobb  
Secretary-Treasurer—Lawrence H. Marston  
Marshal—Nathaniel U. McConaughy  
Chaplain—Wilfred D. Harrison  
Orator—Frederick W. Willey  
Opening Address—Arthur B. Chapman  
Closing Address—Harvey D. Miller  
Historian—Edwin H. Blanchard  
Poet—Forbes Rickard, Jr.

Class Day Committee—Edward Humphrey, chairman, Frank E. Phillips, Robert N. Fill-

more, Carl K. Ross, and William S. Cormack, Jr.  
Cane Committee—Harold H. Sampson, chairman, Carl K. Ross, and James C. Oliver.

Last Gym Committee—Marcus A. Sutcliffe, chairman, Paul G. Kent, and Boniface Campbell.

The Bugle manager reported a healthy surplus, and there was also a surplus from the Ivy hop last June. It was voted that the caps and gowns be worn to all morning recitations and to chapel beginning May 1.

## M. I. T. TO COME HERE FOR TRACK MEET

A dual meet with M. I. T. at Brunswick is the feature of the track schedule announced by Manager William E. Walker '18 last week. The schedule includes the relay, interscholastic, and regular track schedules. Bowdoin will probably race Wesleyan or Trinity in relay at the Hartford meet.

The schedule will be as follows:

Feb. 3. B. A. A. Meet at Boston.

Feb. 10. Bowdoin Interscholastic Indoor Meet at Brunswick.

Feb. 21.—Hartford Meet at Hartford, Conn.  
March 9. Freshman-Sophomore Meet at Brunswick.

March 16. Bowdoin Indoor Interclass Meet at Brunswick.

April 28. Dual Meet with Bates at Lewiston.

May 5. Dual Meet with M. I. T. at Brunswick.

May 12. Maine Intercollegiate Meet at Orono.

May 19. N. E. I. A. A. at Boston.

May 26. I. C. A. A. A. A.

May 26. Bowdoin Interscholastic Outdoor Meet at Brunswick.

## EFFICIENCY CONFERENCE THIS WEEK

The second Community Efficiency Conference will be held in Augusta this week, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, and an especially attractive program has been arranged. It is planned to send a Bowdoin delegation of 15 or 20 men. Among the speakers will be Thomas Mott Osborne and Raymond Robbins, from outside the state, and Bowdoin will be represented by Dr. Whittier, Professor Files, Dean Sills, and Professor Hornell. Entertainment will be provided for the



Bowdoin men in the homes of Augusta, and the only expenses will be the fare and banquet. The registration fees will be paid by the College Christian Association.

Matters of practical value in community life will be discussed, and the methods of securing greater efficiency will be shown. Bowdoin was represented at the conference by a delegation of about 20, two years ago, and the students who attended felt the conference well worth while, for the questions discussed are of intense practical value to those who are about to take part in the life of the community. Hundreds of men from all over the state in business, agriculture and the various professions attend the conference and the discussions are on a very practical basis. Several students have already expressed their intention of making the trip, and others who wish to attend will confer with Professor Langley as soon as possible in order to secure accommodations.

#### BARTLETT TO ENTER WEST POINT

Boyd W. Bartlett '17 was the successful candidate in an examination held at Colby on Dec. 27 for the appointment to West Point by Congressman John A. Peters. Bartlett will return to College for the mid-year examinations and will then prepare for entrance to the military academy. He passes the examination for appointment with a rank far ahead of the nearest competitor. Bartlett has been prominent in varied activities in College, winning a letter twice in football and once in tennis. He is a junior Phi Beta Kappa man and has been assistant in German and Latin. He was captain of the hockey team and a member of various clubs. The committee which conducted the examination was made up of Thomas B. Ashcroft of Colby College, W. H. Patten of Ellsworth, and Captain R. L. Marston '98 of Skowhegan.

#### BOWDOIN MEN IN THE LEGISLATURE

There are 16 graduates of Bowdoin in the 78th Maine Legislature, which is more than the other Maine colleges combined can claim. Four of these are in the Senate, Edward N. Merrill '74 of Somerset county; Rupert H. Baxter '94, of Sagadahoc county; Taber D. Bailey '96, of Penobscot county, and Chester A. Boynton '10, of Lincoln county. Of these, Senator Bailey has been elected President of the Senate, a position that makes him acting governor in case of the death or disability of the governor. The 12 Bowdoin men in the House are C. E. Williams, medical '78, of Auburn; Frank O. Purinton '80,

of Mechanic Falls; Charles A. Corliss '83, of Bath; Warren G. Sawyer, medical '84, of Madison; Freeman D. Dearth '87, of Dexter; Frank I. Brown, medical '91, of South Portland; Frank G. Farrington '94, of Augusta; Philip D. Stubbs '95, of Strong; Percival P. Baxter '98, of Portland; Emery G. Wilson '98, of Portland; Fulton J. Redman 'c7, of Ellsworth, and Ralph O. Brewster '09, of Portland. Of these, Representative Baxter was a candidate for the Republican nomination for the speakership, but lost in a close contest.

Fourteen of the Bowdoin men in the Legislature are Republicans, the exceptions being Representatives Corliss of Bath and Sawyer of Madison. A majority of them are lawyers. As undergraduates many of them were prominent in athletics. Senator Boynton was center on the eleven; Representative Dearth was a heavy-hitting outfielder thirty years ago, and Representative Stubbs the crack half-back of his day. Ten years later, Representative Farrington won laurels as a pitcher, and Representative Wilson as a catcher; Senator Bailey scored the first touchdown, in 1893, in the first game that Bowdoin ever played with the University of Maine, which was then the Maine State College. Representative Baxter was the founder of the *Bowdoin Quill*, twenty years ago, and Representative Brewster was on the winning debating teams.

Aside from these fourteen men in the two legislative branches, Bowdoin graduates figure prominently in the organization of the new state administration. Guy H. Sturgis '93 of Portland, was elected attorney general after a sixteen-ballot contest in the joint Republican caucus, in which his leading opponent was Frank L. Dutton '99, of Augusta. His Democratic opponent in the joint convention was Leonard A. Pierce '05, of Houlton, who was the Democratic floor leader in the last Legislature. John A. Roberts '77, of Norway, was elected commissioner of agriculture, a position that he has ably filled before.

The new governor of the state, Hon. Carl E. Milliken, is a Bates graduate in the class of 1897, the first Bates man to become governor of Maine. The speaker of the House, Representative Bonney of Bowdoinham, is a Colby graduate, in the class of 1892. As contrasted with the sixteen Bowdoin men in the Legislature, there are five Colby graduates, three Bates graduates and four University of Maine graduates, of whom two attended only the School of Law. There are three Harvard men and one graduate each of Amherst, Boston University, Haverford, Tufts, Massachusetts Agricultural College, Yale, University of

Washington, University of New York, and University of Vermont.

#### SECOND INFORMAL DANCE SATURDAY

The second of the series of informal dances in the Union will be held Saturday evening at 7.30. The first dance was a pronounced success. In spite of the blizzard that day, there was a good attendance. The number will be limited to 50 couples again Saturday night, and promptness will be expedient.

#### FIRST INDOOR RIFLE MATCH TONIGHT

Regular indoor shooting will start this week on the Armory range. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons will be the regular practice days together with any other hours which may be convenient. The first match will be today with the Androscoggin Rifle Club. Intercollegiate matches begin Jan. 27.

Ammunition may be procured at the range for 25 cents per 100 shots. Rifles will be furnished or men may bring their own. Members of the club are urged to come out for the team whether they have had previous experience or not. The team will be picked each week from the best of the practice scores.

A perfect score of 100 was made at the rifle range this week by J. E. Gray '18. Phil Johnson '18 scored 98 off hand. Both scores were made at 50 feet; a one-half inch, ten ring target being used.

#### MOOERS ELECTED QUILL CHAIRMAN

At the first meeting of the new *Quill* board, H. Tobey Mooers '18 was elected chairman of the board. The first number of the new volume has gone to press already. The board solicits contributions from the faculty and alumni as well as the undergraduates.

#### GIBSON '02 IN HIGH FINANCE

Harvey Dow Gibson '02, at the age of 34, recently became president of the Liberty National Bank in New York City, one of the heaviest banks in the East. He has the distinction of being the youngest bank president in New York. He succeeds the well-known Thomas Cochran who becomes a partner in J. P. Morgan and Company.

Mr. Gibson was born in North Conway, N. H., and fitted for College very early. After graduation, he began his business career in the office of the American Express Co. at Boston. He worked up to the assistant managership of the company's Eastern Department with headquarters in New York. Four years ago he entered the Liberty

Bank as assistant to the president. And now comes his big position and big opportunity.

In College Gibson, according to the *Bugle*, was a prominent man in athletics, and also in music activities.

#### SECOND CHINAMAN MAKES SHORT STAY

Ping Liang, a Chinese graduate from Tsing Hua, is at present visiting here his friend and classmate, K. S. Tang. He arrived Dec. 30 from the Massachusetts Agricultural College where he had been taking the agricultural course. He has come here intending to specialize in the sciences. Still again he has changed his mind and is to leave sometime in the near future for the University of Illinois, where he is to take up banking.

#### FRATERNITY SKIT COMPETITION

Following the Interscholastic Meet on Feb. 10, the Student Council is planning to have the greatest vaudeville show yet produced at Bowdoin. Each fraternity is to prepare a skit, and a prize (value not stated) is to be awarded the winner of the competition. In addition to these ten numbers, any other acts will be welcomed. As yet the plans are scarcely under way, but a month from now it is expected that some mighty clever rehearsals will be under way. There will be a large crowd of the prep school men in attendance, and there will be a good opportunity to show them the lighter side of college life. The time limit has not yet been set, and no board of censorship has been appointed, but the fraternities are urged to start in for the prize at once.

#### MUSICAL CLUBS MAY TOUR NEW YORK

The schedule for the Musical Clubs appeared last week, and the first concert will be at Freeport, Friday evening. Next Wednesday the clubs will leave for a cruise of the eastern part of the state, including Skowhegan, Bangor, and Hallowell. On Feb. 23 there will be a concert in Auburn, and during the spring vacation the clubs will visit Boston and the surrounding region, appearing in Malden, Peabody, and Gloucester. Manager Carl K. Ross announces that there may be a trip to New York during the spring vacation after the Boston trip.

#### SACO NEXT FOR MASQUE AND GOWN

Saco will in all probability witness the next performance of "Pierre Patelin" and "Indian Summer," around Feb. 9. This seems, at present, to be the only trip in sight, although Manager Colter is planning for a possible visit to Bangor.

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## Physical Training Plan

We print below the plan for freshman elective athletic training as proposed by those who have been studying for the last two months the systems of other colleges and the particular possibilities and limitations at Bowdoin and who have been working steadily for its introduction next fall. This plan has been placed before the faculty for action. It has the backing of the student body, Dr. Whittier and nearly all the faculty, and many of the prominent and interested

alumni, as evidenced by communications received the last few weeks, two of which we print in this issue. Minor changes are to be expected, but with such strong support behind it, it seems probable that the plan outlined below will, in its essential features, be introduced next fall.

We will not take the space to repeat all the arguments in favor of this scheme. The advantages of physical training are beyond question. These advantages will be realized to a much greater extent if individual tastes are allowed to select those sports in which the most personal interest and pleasure will be taken and the dread of compulsion will be reduced to a minimum. The elective system has won its struggle for recognition in the curriculum. It is only logical that the next step should be its introduction into our physical as well as our mental education.

We realize that this plan is not complete; that it does not embrace all we hope for. But it is only a beginning. It has been so designed as to give the department of physical training a chance to adapt itself to the added requirements in instructors and money. Our athletic facilities are not yet complete; witness our lack of a swimming-pool and college tennis courts. But if it works well with the freshmen in this limited way, it will be only a short while before it will be extended to other classes and before a greater choice will be allowed. We feel that it at least deserves a fair trial, aided by the hearty support of all concerned.

## PROPOSED SYSTEM FOR FRESHMAN PHYSICAL TRAINING

1. All Freshmen shall be required to take some form of Physical Training, three hours each week, from the second Monday of the collegiate year until the Athletic Exhibition in March.

2. All Freshmen shall be at liberty to elect, subject to the advice and approval of the Department of Physical Training, some form of athletic training,—track, baseball, football, tennis, or such other sport as may be offered,—and shall pursue it from the second Monday of the collegiate year until Thanksgiving. If no one of these sports is elected, work in the gymnasium shall be required.

3. All Freshmen shall be required to take regular gymnasium from Thanksgiving until the Christmas vacation, unless permission to pursue other sports is granted by the Department of Physical Training.

4. All Freshmen shall be at liberty to elect football, track, baseball, or such other form of sport as may be offered and shall pursue it from the Christmas vacation until the Athletic Exhibi-

tion in March, unless in the opinion of the Department of Physical Training further work in the gymnasium is necessary for their physical improvement.

## Communications

*To the Editor of the ORIENT:*

There has been no meeting of the Bowdoin Club of Boston before which I could bring for discussion the subject of the proposed system of Freshman physical training, as you suggested, but those graduates with whom I have had an opportunity to talk over the matter agree that such a system as outlined would be a good thing for both the incoming class and the college. Personally I am heartily in favor of the plan, and hope that it can be extended beyond the Freshman class. I wish that it had been in operation twenty years ago. Bowdoin was a pioneer in gymnasium work, and its system has been widely imitated. It cannot afford to lag behind the growing number of colleges that have a plan of outdoor physical training that is compulsory for all incoming students—or universal, if you like the word better than compulsory.

JOHN CLAIR MINOT '96.

Boston, Jan. 6.

Jan. 1, 1917.

*To the Editor of the ORIENT:*

Dear Sir:—I have just finished reading your editorial on Compulsory Athletics, and I cannot resist telling you at once that it strikes me as being the one big constructive proposition now before Bowdoin. I agree with you from beginning to end. I do not know which will be benefitted the most, the College or the students. It will do away with the one great crime of American college athletics, the absurdity that only varsity men may benefit from the elaborate coaching and enthusiasm and expense. I have a very definite notion that men need physical training quite as much as mind training, and it is the rankest nonsense to give varsity men the monopoly. The biggest advantage that the private preparatory schools have over the public school, is universal athletic training. Some of them go so far as to have no varsity teams at all.

The men on whom we expend nine-tenths of our money and teaching for physical training are already athletes. Every student ought to have a chance at it, and if they don't know enough to want the chance, ought to be compelled to have it. The College should recognize athletics not only as a sport, but as a legitimate means of making well-trained men. I believe that an athletic

coach has a more intimate influence on the student body than any member of the faculty, and for that reason should be chosen with infinite care, and given recognition. The principles of honor, fair play, unselfishness and hard work which Walter Camp instilled into not only the varsity football men but the entire student body of Yale can hardly be over estimated. Excellence in athletics should be rewarded as well as excellence in mathematics, literature, the languages, etc.

It is the purest cant for our faculties and boards to object to endowed scholarships for excellence in athletics. Efficiency is going to be the watchword of America in these coming years, if we are to maintain our position in the industrial competition of the world. Personal efficiency must be the foundation for all other efficiency, and a sound body and a sound mind are the basis of personal efficiency.

The Alumni of Bowdoin College want to see her athletic teams representative of the high standing of the College. We are proud that her teams do not contain imported rough-necks whose connection with the College ceases when their services as athletic stars are no longer needed. I believe that undreamed of sources of material will be forth coming when every student participates. Football coaches tell us the scrub is the biggest asset a team can have. Let's have the whole student body on the scrub team.

Very sincerely yours,

ROY L. MARSTON.

## BRADBURY DEBATING TRIALS SOON

According to the present plans, the Bradbury Debates will take place about Feb. 20 and the Intercollegiates on March 22. As is customary the varsity teams will be picked from among the participants in the Bradbury Debates. Notice of trials for the Bradbury Debates will soon be posted. The question of these debates is not yet finally phrased but is based on the foreign policy of the United States in reference to the Monroe Doctrine.

Negotiations are under way for a debate with the University of Vermont to take place early in March. The question for the Vermont debate may or may not be the same as that for the league. This will depend on the action of the Debating Council which is trying to ascertain how many would enter the trials for the Vermont debate. Amherst and Dartmouth are also under consideration. This is in line with the plan recently adopted by the Council for a gradual expansion of the College's debating activity.



## TENTATIVE SCHEDULE FOR MIDYEARS

Morning	THURSDAY, JAN. 25	Afternoon
Zoölogy 1		Art 1
Education 1, 3		Hygiene
English 19		Music 1
French 9		Psychology 1
Latin 3		
Physics 3		
	FRIDAY, JAN. 26	
Zoölogy 3		Astronomy 1
Chemistry 1		Economics 3
Greek A 1, 3		English 3
Latin 1		Latin 5
Music 5		Psychology 5
	SATURDAY, JAN. 27	
Chemistry 5, 7		Chemistry 3
Economics 5		English 1, 5
History 1		
Music 3		
Physics 1		
	MONDAY, JAN. 29	
History 7		Zoölogy 9
Government 1		Economics 1
Philosophy 1		Greek 7
Surveying 1		
	TUESDAY, JAN. 30	
German 3, 9		English 13
Psychology 3		French 3
		Geology
	WEDNESDAY, JAN. 31	
French 7		French 1
History 3		German 1, 7, 11
Latin A		
Physics 5		
	THURSDAY, FEB. 1	
Government 3		History 9
Mathematics 1, 3, 5, 7		Italian 1

## FIFTY MEN IN WINTER FOOTBALL

The men taking football training will be required to come in on the days on which Physical Training is scheduled for their respective classes. All football work will be from 4:30 to 5:30. The purpose of the winter football training is to give the inexperienced men training which will accustom them to the Harvard tactics. It will also put the men in such shape that they may have the opportunity to start our next fall with experienced men and will enable them to play the positions and individual assignments. Boxing and wrestling will be introduced to give real spirit to the training. Variety is the keynote of the whole system. The coaches are: Shumway, Oliver, Chapman and Campbell.

Following is the list of men:

'18—Babbitt, Blanchard, Colter, Farmer, Foster, MacCormick, McDonald, McNaughton, McQuillan, Needelman, Rounds, Sandford, Spear, Stewart, Woodworth.

'19—Boratis, Caspar, Decker, Doherty, Flynn, Gray, Hall, Hersum, Holbrook, Hutchinson, Irving, Kern, MacIninch, Morrison, Safford, Small, Smethurst, P. S. Turner, R. S. Turner, Whitcomb.

'20—Cate, Crockett, Curtis, Delahanty, Drummond, Eustis, Gupitt, Haggerty, Houston, Mason, Mansfield, McElwee, Rhoads, Robbins, Weinblatt, Zeitler.

## FACULTY PROMINENT IN

## DRAMATIC CLUB PLAY

Armed with nothing but a bag of cigarette tobacco Jack Craigen (alias Professor Van Cleve), outwitted Henry Tracey, (Albert LeTarte), provided with a real revolver, in a desperate encounter Friday evening.—But is was only a "play" encounter, one of the scenes in "The Misleading Lady," presented by the Brunswick Dramatic Club at the Cumberland Theatre in the first of two closed performances.

Professor Brown, Mr. MacCormick and Mr. Baxter also appeared in the cast, as well as F. T. Garland '14, Biggers '17, and J. L. Scott '18. Professor Davis was in charge of the production.

## OLDEST OVERSEER DIES

Rev. Henry Fiske Harding, the only surviving member of the Class of 1850, and a member of the Board of Overseers since 1870, died at his home in Hallowell last Friday morning, January 5. Born at Union, Me., March 28, 1827, Mr. Harding came from an old Revolutionary family. He was first a teacher and then a clergyman, preaching in East Machias, Machias, and several other parishes during his long career.

Mr. Harding was a particularly strong and loyal Bowdoin man. As a member of the Board of Overseers he attended every meeting of that board at Commencement since 1870, and maintained an unfailing interest in the welfare of the College. His death deprives the Board of Overseers of by far its oldest, and one of its most interested members.

## COURSES FOR SECOND SEMESTER

Students are reminded that the following courses not offered during first semester are available:

Botany. Elective for Sophomores, Juniors and

Seniors Professor Copeland  
Economics 12. Seminar course with readings and reports. Elective for ten Juniors and Seniors. Prerequisites Ec. 1 and 2.

Assistant Professor McClean  
English 6. Advanced Public Speaking. Elective for Seniors and Juniors who have passed course 5. Professor Davis

English 12. The English Novel. Elective for Juniors and Seniors, and Sophomores who have finished 3. Professor Davis  
English 20. Robert Browning. Professor Elliott  
Ethics. Elective for Juniors and Seniors.

Professor Hyde  
Government 2. American State and Social Government. Professor Hormell

Government 4. Construction and Government of the United States. Elective for Juniors and Seniors. Professor Hormell

History 8. History of Europe since 1870. Elective Juniors and Seniors. Professor Bell

History 10. History of the United States since 1850. Elective Juniors and Seniors.

Assistant Professor Van Cleve  
Latin 6. Late Latin. Prerequisites 5.

Professor Sills  
Latin 8. Latin Influence on English Literature. Elective for Juniors and Seniors and Sophomores who can qualify. Professor Sills

Mineralogy. Prerequisite Chem. 1. Professor Cram

#### STRONG SOCIAL SERVICE PROGRAM

The results of the social workers of the Christian Association for the past season has been most gratifying and beneficial. A Boys' Club under the direction of Peacock '18 has been organized at the Church on the Hill, and another has been started at Maquoit under the leadership of P. H. and R. H. Cobb '17. The Boy Scouts' program will shortly be initiated at the latter club.

At Thanksgiving and Christmas, twenty dinners, at an even cost of four dollars each, were sent to 20 families in which were a total of 90 children. By the light of a huge fire a fine Christmas program was presented at Maquoit, together with a great outdoor Christmas tree celebration. Presents, consisting of mittens, stockings and other useful articles, were made to all the children.

The night school has been brought to a successful close, and a profitably season has been conducted generally. With the coming of spring, work will be carried on as last year, in cooperation with the University of Maine Agricultural Extension Service.

#### ALPHA KAPPA KAPPA INITIATION

The Alpha Kappa Kappa medical fraternity held its annual initiation and banquet at the Lafayette Hotel in Portland on Friday, Dec. 22. Dr. Fred L. Cheney of Wayne was initiated as an honorary member of the fraternity, and the active initiates were William Everett Freeman, medic '18 of Bath, Hendrie Walter Grant, medic '20 of Calais. The toastmaster was Dr. John F. Thompson of Portland, and the speakers were Dr. George Cook of Concord, N. H., grand primarius of the fraternity, Dr. Addison S. Thayer of Portland, Dr. Frank Y. Gilbert of Portland, Dr. Francis J. Welch of Portland, Dr. Fred L. Cheney of Wayne, Dr. Adam P. Leighton, Jr. of Portland, and Langdon R. White, medic '19 of Bath.

#### MUSIC FOR NEXT CHAPEL VESPERS

Prelude, Sunshine and Shadow ... *Dudley Buck*  
Gloria Patri ..... *Greatorex*  
Hymn ..... *Number 50*  
Anthem, At the Close of Day ..... *Nevin*  
Postlude, March Religieuse ..... *Gounod*

#### With the Faculty

Professor Johnson is conducting a College men's Bible class each Sunday noon at the Church on the Hill. Every student will be heartily welcomed. The class is discussing Harry Emerson's Fostick's, "The Meaning of Prayer."

Professor Ham is expected home about the first of February. Next week's ORIENT will print more of the details.

Dean Sills is "at home" every Sunday night to the College and is always glad to meet any students who call.

An essay by Professor Elliot, "Our Progress Idea and the War," has just been published by Richard J. Badger, Boston, Mass.

Professor Catlin is to leave soon on his half year's leave of absence. He is to be in the South studying economic conditions for a part of the time.

Professor Hormell, by invitation of a committee of the Auburn Board of Trade, spent Saturday evening in assisting to frame a new charter for the city. The charter will shortly be submitted for approval to the State Legislature.

Several faculty members took part in a masquerade party at the home of the Charles Gilmans of Union street, on December 22. Prof. Bell took the part of a Chinese cook; Prof. Van Cleve, Robin Hood; Prof. Langley, the little minister; Mr. Baxter, a German student.

## On the Campus

J. C. Minot '96 was on the campus Sunday.

Crane '17 is assistant secretary in the Senate.

There will be a Glee Club rehearsal every Tuesday and Thursday at five P. M.

Pike '17 and Sullivan '20 will give a talk on Life at the Front, before the Brunswick Club on Thursday evening.

Leatherbarrow '17 has left College and is teaching at Thornton Academy. He will be back for midyear exams and get his degree.

Probation notices for Chapel and Class cuts during the two days preceding and following the Christmas holidays were issued yesterday.

As a result of the recent examinations for assistantships in the Library, the following Freshmen were chosen: Johnson, Rounds and S. A. Smith.

Professor Evans from the State Laboratory at Augusta will deliver an address before the Chemical Club on Jan. 16. Modern Analysis will be his subject.

Candidates for the position of assistant manager of football will please hand their names in to A. S. Gray of the Alpha Delt house as soon as possible as they will be needed for winter football.

Governor Milliken has placed Dean Sills on a non-partisan commission to report on the question of taxing intangible property in Maine. Judge Spear of Gardiner is chairman of the commission.

William Wass, the son of Professor Wass, has been transferred from the Somme to the Verdun front. The hospital at which Wass is engaged is an underground affair, very close to the first line trenches.

An anthology of college verse for 1915-16 contains a poem by Achorn '17 taken from the Quill. It is entitled L'Envoi and has the distinction of being the concluding selection of verse in the anthology.

A public debate will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in Memorial Hall on the question: "Resolved, that the United States should establish a protectorate in Mexico." This is a part of the course in English 5.

Notices have been posted concerning graduate fellowships at Northwestern University at Evanston, Ill., and at the Imperial College of Science and Technology at London. Seniors may obtain further information and application blanks at the office of the Dean.

During the Christmas vacation the Western Maine Association of the Beta Theta Pi held its annual meeting and banquet. The following men

from the Bowdoin chapter were present: William S. Linnell '07, Daniel F. Koughan '09, Harold V. Bickmore '11, Allen '17, Lovejoy '17, and Kern '19.

There was a meeting of the class of 1918 in Memorial Hall yesterday at 1.00 P. M.

Recitations in Solid Geometry and Conic Sections began Wednesday. Solid Geometry divisions meet in the mathematics room in Adams Hall. Conic Sections divisions meet in room 2, Memorial Hall.

## CALENDAR

TUESDAY, JAN. 9

5.00 P. M. Glee Club Rehearsal Music Room

7.00 P. M. Public Debate Memorial Hall

8.00 P. M. Biology Club Meets

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 10

5.00 P. M. Mandolin Club Rehearsal

THURSDAY, JAN. 11

5.00 P. M. Glee Club Rehearsal Music Room

8.00 P. M. Lecture on Life at the Front, Pike '17 and Sullivan '20

Brunswick Club

8.00 P. M. Classical Club Meets with Dean Sills

FRIDAY, JAN. 12

Musical Clubs at Freeport

SATURDAY, JAN. 13.

7.30 P. M. Informal Dance in Union

TUESDAY, JAN. 16

8.00 P. M. Chemical Club Meets DKE House

THURSDAY, JAN. 18

8.00 P. M. Class of '68 Prize Speaking Memorial Hall

FRIDAY, JAN. 19

Bowdoin vs. Harvard, Fencing, at Cambridge

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Semester Examinations

## The Other Colleges

In connection with the move to free student elections from the fraternity "deals," it is of interest to note that Wesleyan has re-adopted an old agreement that "neither as members of a fraternity nor as individuals will enter into any 'deals' or combinations in regard to the support of any undergraduate or graduate activity."

The men of Bates have recently adopted a college pin as a means of identification. The plan is similar to that in vogue at Tufts and Princeton.

An interfraternity bowling league is the latest student activity at Colby.

Four hundred thousand dollars in donations, the largest being \$125,000 from James J. Hill, has been given to Harvard since last September, to be used in establishing the Hill chair of trans-

portation in the Harvard Business School.

Columbia University undergraduates have been signing a petition asking the faculty to have classes end earlier in the day so that the athletes can start their training sooner.

With eleven colleges represented, the Fourth Annual Convention of the Association of Eastern College Newspapers held at New York last April was a great success. Representatives were present from Yale, Columbia, Princeton, Pennsylvania, Harvard, New York University, Amherst, Williams, Penn State, Union, and Wesleyan.

The number of universities, colleges, and normal schools which have adopted simplified spelling is 144, a gain of 57 in the past year, according to a report made to the simplified spelling board at its annual meeting. In these institutions there are 130,000 students.

First aid classes at Radcliffe began recently under the auspices of the Commission on Military Preparedness.

There are, or have been 298 Harvard graduates and undergraduates engaged in some form of war work in Europe according to a list appearing in the Harvard Alumni bulletin. Eleven Harvard men have been killed in action while doing ambulance work or fighting in the trenches, and twelve have received decorations from the French government.

Smith College is now following the example of Harvard and others in having a coöperative store for the benefit of the students with a student membership and an annual distribution of dividends.

There has been some agitation at California of late for the establishment of dormitories. It is urged that "Dormitories are the most practical way of making a student body homogenous, sympathetic, university-minded." Besides many men who earn their own living undoubtedly have to live in rather cheerless lodgings. Good dormitories would of course do away with this condition. According to the report of the dean of Lower Division, of the 5099 students in the University at present, men and women, about 2 per cent are in fraternities and clubs, 2.4 per cent are boarding, 4.3 per cent are living with relatives and the remainder are housekeeping or not indicated.

Columbia is about to start a new tradition. By a series of conferences this month in philosophy, psychology and anthropology the University is planning to bring back to the campus students interested in these subjects, and to keep them in touch with recent progress. In a broad sense this

might mean a new function for the college—that of ministering to the intellectual needs of their students, of keeping their minds alert even after they have left the shades of the college gateway. The yearly injection of an intellectual stimulus into studious alumni would be welcomed by the majority and beneficial to all. But such a series of conferences will also help in a new way to strengthen the tie between alma mater and graduate, which is now so essential for a University's future success.

Of the fifty-one students recently dismissed from Brown because of their low standing in scholarship, not one was a member of a team engaged in either a major or a minor college sport.

The chairman of the junior prom committee at Iowa was expelled and five other members of the committee suspended for three weeks. University authorities had ordered all decorating work to stop at 10 o'clock the night previous to the prom. The committee stopped at the exact hour, but after all lights were out on the campus returned to the gym and spent the wee sma' hours of the morning completing its task.

In the total attendance, Columbia University leads all institutions of higher education throughout the world with 11,888 students. The University of California is a close second with 10,500. These are resident students, all branches and the summer school included.

## Alumni Notes

'62.—The City Missionary Society of Boston, Mass., celebrated its centennial anniversary yesterday. This organization, perhaps the oldest in the world for city evangelization, has rendered great service to the poor of Boston, and its secretary, Rev. Daniel Wingate Waldron, is given much of the credit for its success.

Dr. Waldron, who has been chaplain of the House of Representatives for 38 years, has held his position in the society for 44 years. He was born in Augusta, Me., in 1840. After his graduation from Bowdoin he studied in the Bangor Theological Seminary for two years and in 1866 he graduated from the Andover Theological School.

Following his graduation from this institution he held pastorates in East Weymouth and East Boston, Mass., until he was made clerical missionary of the City Missionary Society. Since then he has visited the city poor, preached in the various chapels, and presented the different needs of the city missions.

He established the "Easter Card Mission,"



"Fresh Air Fund," "Thanksgiving Dinner Charity," and the "Christmas Letter and Card Mission." He has also worked among the Chinese of Boston.

'68.—Word has been received of the death of Leonard W. Rundlett at his home in St. Paul, after a heart attack. Since last June he had been obliged to discontinue his work as a consulting engineer, but had seemed to be improving at the time of the final attack.

Mr. Rundlett taught school in St. Paul for the two years directly following his graduation from Bowdoin. Since 1870 he has been consulting engineer in that city, and during nearly half a century has served it capably in various offices. In 1874 he became assistant engineer of the city and in 1881 was appointed city engineer, in which capacity he remained till his voluntary resignation in 1911. He left, as a monument to his engineering genius, one of the best engineering systems in any American city. In 1912 he went to Moose Jaw, Canada, and for two years was the commissioner of public works in that place. He was a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers.

*The St. Paul Pioneer Press* said editorially: "The death of Leonard W. Rundlett severs one of the few remaining links which connect the modern with the past political and official history of St. Paul. Like his long time associate in the city government, the late Mayor Robert A. Smith, he was a central figure in the scenes of boss-manipulated city affairs, and like his superior officer he came through it all without a taint upon his personal honesty. L. W. Rundlett was recognized as a competent engineer and a personally honest man."

'07.—Dr. M. A. Webber, medic '10, will leave in a few weeks for Porto Rico, where he will serve in the Medical Reserve Corps of the U. S. Army. For the past four years Dr. Webber has been on the inactive list, but recently was transferred to the active roll, and ordered to his new work.

'10.—The engagement of John J. Devine to Miss Mary Eulalia Duddy of Portland was announced during the holidays.

'13.—Two members of this class announced their engagements during the past week. George F. Cressey is engaged to Miss Sally Churchill of Berlin Mills and James E. Norton to Miss Marion Smart of Portland.

'14.—Sumner L. Mountfort has been principal of the Parsonsfield Seminary at North Parsonsfield since last September, and in that short time the enrollment of the school has been doubled.

The latest number of the school paper is dedicated to Mountfort and is a testimonial to the work which he has been doing. Himself a football player in College, he has turned out a good football team at the school. The seminary is one of the richest schools in the state and was founded in 1832. There is a large recitation hall, a new dormitory, and modern equipment for the agricultural work. Before going to Parsonsfield, Mountfort was in business for a year and was sub-master at South Portland High School last year.

'16.—Winthrop Bancroft was married last April and is now with W. H. Ballard & Co. in Waban, Mass.

'16.—Donald P. George married Miss Dorothy Bird of Rockland on Aug. 31, and is with the Opinion Publishing Co. of Rockland.

'16.—Harry Trust was married last Wednesday. He is pastor of the First Congregational Church in Winthrop.

'16.—Carl A. Weick married Miss Harriet J. Scribner on June 28, and is now practising law in Presque Isle.

'16.—Willard P. Woodman, who was formerly with Ginn & Co. of Boston, is teaching in Keene, N. H., beginning last Tuesday.

The following recent changes in the distribution of Bowdoin men in the employ of the International Banking Corporation have taken place:

'04.—Arthur C. Shorey, New York City, N. Y.

'05.—John H. Brett, Tientsin, China.

'05.—Charles J. Donnell, Celon, P. I.

'05.—Stanley Williams, Panama.

'06.—Richard E. Shaw, Pekin, China.

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## FACULTY VOTES FOR COMPULSORY ATHLETICS

The plan for compulsory physical training for Freshmen which appeared in last week's *ORIENT* is now law, the faculty having voted for it almost unanimously. The measure has the hearty support of the student body, the faculty, and, to judge by the communications, the alumni. Sherman N. Shumway '17, captain of the football during the past season, was largely instrumental in bringing the plan before the College.

The class which enters next September will elect either football, track, tennis, or gymnasium, and will continue in the elected sport until Thanksgiving, when the whole class will have regular gymnasium until Christmas, with the exception of a few on the athletic squads. At Christmas, the class will again have the privilege of choosing a sport, subject to the approval of the department of physical training. Baseball will be added to the list of sports at this time. This indoor work will continue until the Indoor Meet in March.

Compulsory training has been worked with success in many colleges, particularly at Amherst and Wesleyan, whose systems have been studied for the new Bowdoin plan. It has resulted in better physical condition for the student body, and incidentally in better varsity teams. Only the Freshman class will be affected by the new plan.

## '68 SPEAKING THURSDAY EVENING

The Class of '68 Prize Speaking will be held in Memorial Hall Thursday evening at 8 P. M. The speakers will be:

Erik Achorn, Edwin Howard Blanchard, Clarence Henry Crosby, Francis William Jacob, David Alphonso Lane, and Hal Saunders White.

## WEATHERHEAD UNLIKELY TO RETURN

Albert J. Weatherhead, Jr., football coach during the past season, has entered business in Buffalo, N. Y., and it is doubtful if he will return to the football field. Bowdoin will continue the Harvard system, for great progress was made under Campbell and Weatherhead, both trained in the Houghton school. The matter of a new football coach has been discussed by the Athletic

Council, but no definite steps have yet been taken. The football men are receiving the Harvard tactics this Winter, and there is little doubt that the system will be continued.

## FRESHMEN SURE OF DORMITORY ROOMS

Sixty dormitory rooms will be set aside next Fall for the entering class, as a result of a faculty vote. At present there are nearly a hundred men rooming off campus, and many of these are Freshmen. The faculty holds that it is important that a Freshman should have the advantages of dormitory life and sufficient room has been reserved for the average class. The faculty vote will probably mean that many upperclassmen will have to room off campus, but this was felt more just than keeping the Freshmen off.

Instead of turning two whole dormitories over as Freshmen dormitories, the 60 rooms will be chosen by lot from the 96. These facts have emphasized the need for the new dormitory south of Appleton and there is a possibility that action will be taken before many months.

## SECOND UNION DANCE A SUCCESS

About 20 couples danced last Saturday night in the second of the informal dances at the Union. The patronesses were Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Ham, and Mrs. Baxter. Refreshments were served at intermission. Bob Stetson furnished music at the piano. The third dance will probably not be held until well along in February.

## LOVELL SCHOLARSHIP ESTABLISHED

The College received last week from Mrs. Alice M. Lovell of Richmond, a gift of \$2,500, to found a scholarship in memory of her late husband, George C. Lovell.

## TALK ON AMBULANCE WORK TOMORROW

Tomorrow evening at 8.15 in the Union, Carlton M. Pike '17 and Loyall Sewall *ex-'17*, will give an illustrated lecture on "The Work of the American Ambulance Field Service."

Pike made an excellent collection of slides of work at the front. In view of the fact, that four Bowdoin men have been ambulance men and many of the alumni are in close connection with this movement in Europe, the lecture will

doubtless be of great interest to everyone connected with the College. It is to be held under the auspices of the local chapter of the Red Cross Society.

#### SOPHOMORE HOP NEXT MONTH

Saturday, Feb. 17, was selected by the Sophomores as the probable date for the Sophomore hop, at a class meeting held last Thursday.

The following men were elected to serve on the committee: Savage, chairman, Grover, McDonald, Paul and Smethurst.

#### HOCKEY TEAM WINS FIRST GAME

Bowdoin won its first hockey game last Saturday from the Portland Country Club seven at the latter's rink in Falmouth with a score of 5-0.

Although the Bowdoin team was handicapped by lack of practice, they succeeded through the entire game in keeping the Portland players on the defense. The lack of team work of her forwards and the inability to follow up her opportunities, lost the Country Club many chances to score. The Bowdoin players were quick in taking advantage of these opportunities, so in just six minutes from the start, Delehanty caged the first goal. They then scored successively in intermissions of six minutes during the first period, and Delehanty again scored just two minutes before the end of the first period.

Although the Country Club put up a better fight the second half they never once endangered the Bowdoin goal. Bradford '17 got a goal at the end of the first minute of play and very soon after this Little '17 secured the final count.

BOWDOIN	COUNTRY CLUB
Leavitt, lw	rw, Russell
Little, rw	lw, L. Snow
Delehanty, c	c, Eaton
Burr, r	r, Clapp
MacNinch, cp	cp, Adams
Bradford, p	p, Foster
Phillips, g	g, R. Snow

Score: Bowdoin 5, Country Club 0.

#### SUBSTITUTIONS

Bowdoin—Cate for Bradford; McCulloch for Leavitt; Irving for Cate.

Country Club—Payson for Russell; Robinson for Payson; Holt for Robinson; Graves for Eaton; Strout for Foster.

Referee, Claire Currey, Canadian Hockey Club. Timer, J. Hall, Canadian Hockey Club. Time, 20 minute halves.

The Bowdoin Club of Portland paid all the expenses of the team for the trip, and in addition to this they placed their clubhouse at the

disposal of the men for the entire day, giving a dance in the evening. These facts indicate the Alumnus attitude towards hockey, and plainly shows the growing favor for this sport at Bowdoin.

#### DR. GOODRICH WILL RETURN TO FRANCE

Rev. Chauncey W. Goodrich, D.D., pastor of the Church on the Hill, has tendered his resignation to take effect the last of February, and will return to France in the spring. Before coming to Brunswick, Dr. Goodrich was pastor of the American Church in Paris for a number of years, and he will return to this work. The American Church ministers to the needs of Americans in Paris of any creed, and does an extensive work.

Dr. Goodrich is a graduate of Yale in the class of 1887 and comes from a long line of preachers who have been identified with Yale. Through his work at the Church on the Hill he has become identified with the life at the College, and his resignation is learned of with regret on the campus. In 1915 he received the degree of Doctor of Divinity from Bowdoin.

#### COUNCIL BEHIND INELIGIBILITY RULE

The Student Council wishes to make it known to the student body that it heartily endorses the ineligibility rule of the A. S. B. C. in regard to men who have not paid their Blanket Tax. Furthermore, the Council intends to stand behind and enforce this rule as far as it lies within its power to do so.

#### DARTMOUTH LEAVES N. E. I. A. A.

Having won the New England Meet 21 times out of the 25 years since it was established, Dartmouth withdrew from the organization last week that the competition might be closer. Bowdoin was responsible for one of Dartmouth's four defeats, winning the meet at Worcester in 1899. On another occasion Bowdoin lost the meet to Dartmouth by the heart-breaking margin of half a point.

The withdrawal of Dartmouth from the New England meet will give much closer competition for first place. The University of Maine ran up a good score last year, while Bowdoin and Holy Cross tied for third. The other colleges represented at the N. E. I. A. A. are Amherst, Bates, Brown, Colby, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Trinity, Tufts, Vermont, Wesleyan, Williams, and Worcester Tech. With Leadbetter, Moulton, and Colbath gone, the points which Bowdoin could usually bank upon in the weight events will be lessened, but it is probable that

Coach Magee will be able to send a team that will land a place next May.

#### ANDROSCOGGIN CLUB WINS CLOSE MATCH

Contrary to first reports, the match shoot of last Tuesday evening, between the Bowdoin Rifle Club and the Androscoggin Club of Lewiston, has been decided in favor of the Lewiston team. Bowdoin's reported victory was only one point, and on further examination of the targets it was found that Lewiston had three more points to her credit, thus winning by a majority of two. Phil Johnson of Bowdoin was high man of the shoot with 97. The score:

##### ANDROSCOGGIN

	Offhand	Prone	Total
Whitney .....	47	48	95
Whitehouse .....	45	49	94
Coburn .....	44	47	91
Delano .....	43	48	91
White .....	41	49	90
Totals .....	220	241	461

##### BOWDOIN

	Offhand	Prone	Total
P. M. Johnson .....	47	50	97
R. T. Schlosberg ....	43	49	92
R. H. Tillson .....	42	50	92
E. C. Call .....	41	48	89
J. E. Gray .....	41	48	89
Totals .....	214	245	459

From the results of Tuesday's match, it would seem that Bowdoin's chances are exceedingly good in the Intercollegiate Match. All that is needed is more men to go out. There will be trials Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week and any man can compete who wishes. Ten shots will be fired standing, and ten prone. The ten high men will shoot in the first match of the intercollegiate series. All who desire further particulars will please call up P. M. Johnson at the Psi U. house.

#### CHANCE TO HEAR SOLOISTS TONIGHT

The student body will have an opportunity to hear the soloists of the Musical Clubs before they go on the road at the concert in the Union this evening at 7.30. In past years the College has not had a good opportunity to hear the group which represents it musically, and this is the first time that a campus concert has been held. If it proves successful, there will be other concerts in which the entire clubs will participate. No admission will be charged. The participants include Edwards, the pianist; Stetson, the 'cellist;

Hill, the vocal soloist; McCorrill, the violin soloist; Sturgis, with the flute, and Mooers, the reader.

The program will be as follows:

1. Piano Solos—Passepié ..... *Delibes*  
Le Carillon de Cythere ..... *Couperin*  
Valse Brillante ..... *Chopin*  
BATEMAN EDWARDS '19
2. 'Cello Solos—Romance Sans Paroles  
..... *Van Goens*  
Air ..... *Wellings*  
ROBERT S. STETSON '18
3. Tenor Solos—"Without Thee" ..... *Vidal*  
For You Alone ..... *Teschemacher*  
WILLIAM E. HILL, '19
4. Readings ..... *Selected*  
H. TOBEY MOOERS '18
5. Violin Solos—At Dawning ..... *Cadman*  
Polonaise ..... *Seybold*  
MILTON MCCORRILL '19
6. Flute Solos—Tranen der Schuerin *Labitsky*  
Minuet in G ..... *Beethoven*  
PARKER B. STURGIS '19

#### MUSICAL CLUB TOUR POSTPONED

The cruise of the Musical Clubs down east has been postponed until next month, and the opening concert of the season will probably be at Auburn on Jan. 23. The Freeport trip was also postponed, and the date has not yet been settled. The postponement of the Maine trip was largely on account of the inability to secure the Bangor City Hall for the date this week, and the probable date will be Feb. 21. The Massachusetts trip has been definitely settled for the spring vacation, and the New York trip is still in a state of uncertainty.

#### PULLMAN COURSE IN EC NEXT YEAR

The latest addition to the list of Pullman courses, the first of which was the famous English 7-8, is a course in economic problems to be given next year by Professors Catlin and McClean. The course is elective for not more than ten Juniors and Seniors who have passed courses 1 and 2. The course will cover with several subjects not adequately treated in the other courses in the department, and each year will be studied economic history, insurance, the industries, social institutions, and conditions of the State of Maine, the railway problem, farm management, advertising, efficiency systems, and the like. Since Professor Catlin will be absent next semester, the course in applied sociology will not be given.



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## The Dormitory Problem

The difficulty which Freshmen have in securing dormitory rooms at the opening of each year is confronting the College authorities with a serious problem. Inability to secure college rooms has prevented not a few prospective Freshmen from enrolling at Bowdoin. That Freshmen should spend their first year on the campus and secure the benefits of association with their classmates and actual participation in the varied life of the dormitory no one who has given the matter serious thought will deny. Under the present

system upperclassmen secure the greater part of the rooms in the spring and leave few for the incoming class, and Freshmen, knowing nothing of the town, are forced to seek lodgings in private houses with all the disadvantages that such arrangements carry with them. It often happens, too, that those men who could best forego campus life for a year are the very ones to secure the few available dormitory rooms, while the shy and retiring men are compelled to live by themselves in off-campus apartments, which are often conducive to homesickness and depression.

Dean Sills, speaking to the Student Council last Wednesday night, suggested as a temporary remedy until the "new dormitory" becomes a reality, that a certain number of rooms—50 or 60—be reserved especially for Freshmen to the exclusion of a few upperclassmen. The latter, he suggested, are better able to secure rooms in fraternity houses or private residences than are the first year men who come to Bowdoin knowing nothing about the College or the town. The Council, in view of present conditions, expressed itself in favor of the Dean's suggestion, but before further action desires to hear discussion by the student body, which it hopes will give this problem careful consideration.

CLARENCE H. CROSBY.

## The Dartmouth Carnival

We gladly call attention to the communication, printed below, from the Dartmouth Outing Club. It is an urgent invitation for Bowdoin men to attend and compete in the winter sports which Dartmouth is doing so much to extend and make popular, and it is an invitation to which we wish a large number of Bowdoin men would respond. We admit the weather in Brunswick lately has not been propitious for sports which require large amounts of snow, and the Hockey Club has been greatly handicapped, so far, by the lack of a rink independent of sudden weather changes. The Hockey Club, however, made a good start Saturday at Portland and we trust it will increase its activity during the winter. Many of these men and probably others less interested in hockey, are, or would be, interested in skiing or snow-shoeing. If some of them could attend the Dartmouth Carnival and see the live interest taken in the work of the Outing Club, they might bring back enough of its spirit to enable a modest reproduction here. A copy of last year's program has been placed on the magazine table in the Union and will give anyone interested a good variety of the entertainment offered.

### The Chapel Situation

Complaints about the seating capacity of the chapel are not new, nor is the situation there the most important problem before us at present. But we believe the dignity and value of the chapel and the chapel services are seriously impaired by a condition which forces many to go without seats. This is particularly noticeable on the days immediately preceding and following vacations, when attendance is compulsory, but it exists to a less degree practically every Sunday and many week-days. The second day after the Christmas vacation, by actual count, sixty students were without seats, and thirty of these were out in the main aisle, squatting cross-legged, resembling the attitude of an Oriental worshipper. The rest were crowded upon the steps where they could neither see the speaker nor hear much of what he was saying. The use of the seats on the platform has been suggested but that is impossible on Sundays, when visitors have the preference.

The seating capacity of the chapel should be enlarged or else, if that is impossible, some method should be taken to reduce attendance on the days when a large number are to be expected, such as making the attendance of Seniors voluntary or alternating them with the Juniors. The first method would probably be preferable, as it would preserve to all classes the advantages of the chapel service and it would continue the pleasing and unifying custom of the entire College gathering in one place each morning, even though for only a few minutes. If our classes continue to grow in size as they have the last few years, this crowded condition will only become worse, a situation which we feel is injurious to the high purposes of the chapel service.

### A Plea for the Band

Membership in the band does not bring with it the romance identified with athletic activities. But the primary force behind both the band and the athletics—in fact, all college activities—is the hope of making the College a stronger influence among the people. This common end in view makes one activity as worthy of perpetuation as any other.

Yet, the leader and acting manager of the band have called two rehearsals since the close of the football season, to elect a manager and to rehearse for the indoor track meets which are coming off next month. Six men were present the first night and seven the second, but the members cannot say that insufficient notice was given as announcement was made in the *ORIENT* and

posted on the Chapel bulletin board a week before the date set for the rehearsal. What is the trouble, then? Is it the lack of College spirit, about which so much has already been said in these columns? Another call will be issued in the near future and it is up to the fellows to get out to practice if the band is to maintain its reputation, established last year.

C. E. S.

### BOWDOIN AT EFFICIENCY CONFERENCE

On Friday, Saturday, and Sunday the second Community Efficiency Conference was held in Augusta. An especially strong program was given, several speakers of wide reputation were present. Among the speakers from the outside were Thomas Mott Osborne, former warden of Sing Sing, and Raymond Robins of Illinois. The Bowdoin speakers were: Dr. Whittier, Professor Files, Dean Sills, and Professor Hormell. Other faculty members present were Professor Catlin, Professor McClean, and Professor Langley. Bowdoin sent as student delegates: Crane '17, McConaughy '17, McIntyre '17, Bachelder '18, Call '18, J. E. Gray '18, P. Hamlin '18, O. L. Hamlin '18, MacCormick '18, Ridlon '18, Wass '18, Kern '19, Sullivan '19, Badger '20, Dennett '20, Davies '20, Ellms '20, B. S. P. Jones '20, L. H. Jones, '20. The subjects under discussion were: Christian Unity, Rural Life, Relief and Welfare Work, and Civic Righteousness. The conference was a pronounced success and did much toward showing problems confronting Maine.

## Communications

DARTMOUTH OUTING CLUB, HANOVER, N. H.

December 13, 1916.

*Editor-in-Chief, the Bowdoin ORIENT,*

Bowdoin College,  
Brunswick, Maine.

Dear Sir:—The Dartmouth Outing Club hereby announces that its seventh annual Winter Carnival will be held at Hanover next February 8, 9, and 10. The program now in preparation will include a number of indoor social attractions in addition to the main feature—the winter sports.

Men from your institution are particularly invited to participate in the intercollegiate ski and snowshoe meet, which will be open to contestants from all colleges and universities in the United States and Canada. The events of the meet will include ski and snowshoe dashes and cross-country races, ski-jumping, and a contest for

good form in ski-running. Prizes will be awarded in each event.

All visiting competitors will be entertained by the club absolutely without expense to themselves during their stay in Hanover. Entry blanks for the intercollegiate events, and more detailed information concerning the Carnival will be gladly furnished upon application to the Secretary of the Dartmouth Outing Club, P. O. Box 291, Hanover, N. H.

In an effort to emphasize the intercollegiate phase of the Carnival and to encourage a larger participation of college men than heretofore, this letter has been addressed to you. The club would consider it a great favor if you will give this matter publicity sufficient for it to reach all the undergraduates of your institution who may be interested in winter sports, and thus give them an opportunity to compete at the Carnival. The enclosed program of last year's Winter Carnival gives a fair idea of the plan of events, and may be of aid to you.

Very sincerely yours,

R. E. ADAMS,

Secretary.

#### PREP SCHOOL CONFERENCE AT BATH

Over the coming week-end, the annual Student Conference of the State will be held at Bath. Until last year, the colleges participated in these conferences, and entertained them in turn. There gradually came to be a preponderance of prep school men, and last year it was determined that the college men should have a small conference in September at Lake Cobbosseecontee, and that the Student Conference should be reserved for men of the preparatory schools. Each of the four colleges agreed to send delegations to the conference to aid in the work, however, and Bowdoin's proximity this year should result in a good representation. It will be possible to attend the meetings of the conference Saturday without officially registering, and men who will attend are requested to confer with Professor Langley.

#### MAINE RELAY TEAMS

##### PREPARING FOR B. A. A.

From present indications the Maine college relay candidates are working overtime for their race at the B. A. A. games in Mechanics Building, February 3, therefore Bowdoin must travel in order to duplicate her performance of the past two years, at this meet. The keenest sort of rivalry exists at present between the Maine colleges, because they are all represented this year by stronger and more evenly balanced teams.

Maine has three veterans left, Charley Zeigler, Pat French, the hurdler and football man, and McBride who ran second in the Maine Intercollegiate quarter last spring. The best man at Bates, according to Coach Ryan, is Jenkins, the dusky sprinter from New Jersey although they have two other good men in Lawrence the M. I. A. A. quarter-mile champion, and Taylor, who is expected to make a good showing in the indoor "390." Coach Art Smith of Colby will unquestionably have a good team as he has had his usual luck this year in attracting star material to the college. He expects A. D. Colby, the national junior mile champion and B. A. A. man, together with Phillips, the Powder Point star, to do big things in the "390." Wiseman, who was formerly with the Irish American Athletic Club, is another good man whom Smith has available.

Although Bowdoin gets little star material from high and preparatory schools, each year sees faster and stronger teams being turned out. The greatest loss this year to Coach Magee is Webber '17, who graduates at mid-year and Crosby, who has never run on a losing relay team, although he has taken part in twelve varsity relays and two winning Freshman combinations. Crosby however will probably be out at the first call in the spring.

Nevertheless Magee expects both his veterans and new men to make a good showing in the coming meets. Among the present candidates, who have had varied experience in track and relay are: Pierce '17, A. S. Gray '18, Hildreth '18, Simonton '18, Wyman '18, Hersum '19, McCarthy '19, P. S. Turner '19, G. C. Allen '20, R. F. Brown '20, Cleaves '20, Cutler '20, Flanders '20, Harris '20, C. S. Houston '20, Millard '20, Saxon '20, M. S. Smith '20, Whitney '20.

#### ENGLISH 5 DEBATE TONIGHT

There will be a public debate in English 5 in Memorial Hall tonight at 7 P. M. on the question, Resolved, That Congress should enact laws providing for compulsory arbitration of industrial disputes. The affirmative will be upheld by Niven '17 and Spear '18, and the negative by C. E. Allen and Crane '17.

#### CLASSICAL CLUB INITIATES

The Classical Club held its annual initiation at the Codman House last Thursday evening as the guests of Dean Sills. The Dean read a paper on the "Ubi sunt" poems of the middle ages and the fear of death which haunted man at every step during mediaeval days. The initiates were Stewart '18, B. A. Thomas '18, Woodworth '18, Albert '19, Avery '19, Casey '19, L. W. Doherty

'19, P. E. Doherty '19, Edwards '19, Gorham '19, Pearson '19, Simmons '19, R. S. Turner '19, and F. B. Morrison '19.

The Classical Club will hold its next meeting at the home of Professor Woodruff, Thursday, Feb. 8, and at this time Professor Joseph William Hewitt '97 of Wesleyan will speak on the poems of Aristophanes. Professor Hewitt has been prominent in Latin and Greek since his graduation from Bowdoin, and his talk on Aristophanes will call out a full attendance. The officers of the club this year are James C. Oliver '17, president, and Francis W. Jacob '17, secretary.

#### THE PRESIDENT'S VESPER TALK

At Chapel Vespers Sunday President Hyde first complimented the student body on their initiating and agitating the movement which recently resulted in the faculty vote to establish for the incoming Freshman class a system of compulsory athletic training. He continued by expressing his hope that Bowdoin men would always continue the spirit of fair play and generous dealing with opponents in athletics, for which in the past, our College has been so justly famous. He read part of a recent address by Dean Briggs of Harvard, who urges all college men to treat their athletic rivals as they themselves wish to be treated, like gentlemen.

#### MUSIC FOR NEXT CHAPEL VESPERS

Prelude, Evening Harmonies *Homer J. Bartlett*  
 Gloria Patri ..... *Graciorix*  
 Hymn ..... *Number 129*  
 Anthem, O Praise the Lord, My Soul *J. K. Paine*  
 Choral Amen ..... *Anglican*  
 Postlude, Allegro Maestoso ..... *Faukes*

#### FIRST FENCING MATCH FRIDAY

The fencing squad is practising faithfully for its contests scheduled for the winter. At present the squad is composed of Allen '18, Gray '18, Haskell '18, Mooers '18, Schlossberg '18, Sloggett '18, Burleigh '19, Hargraves '19, Ingraham '19, Rollins '19, and Dennett '20, out of which three men will be picked to make the trip to Cambridge on Friday to fence against Harvard.

#### STUDENT VETERANS AD-

##### DRESS BRUNSWICK CLUB

Being chased by a German submarine, becoming intimate with a German spy who was later imprisoned in the Tower of London, and barely escaping being sent to sure death by attempting to rescue a wounded comrade, were but a few of the exciting events in the war life

of John J. Sullivan '20, who lectured before the Brunswick Club, Thursday evening, concerning his adventures with the English army. Sullivan enlisted because he was "hard up" and the army afforded him a good wage. He joined his company at Aldershot, England. They were in training 151 days before leaving for the front. Sullivan was overcome by the fumes of a cloud of German gas and spent a number of days in a hospital at Versailles, just outside Paris. He claims that the Tentons showed no consideration even for Red Cross doctors and nurses but shot them down as they would soldiers of the Allied Powers. The audience questioned Sullivan after his talk and he, among other interesting information and opinion, believes that the Allies will finally win.

Carleton M. Pike '17 told some of his experiences with the Ambulance Corps in France. He drove an ambulance for some time in the Verdun sector. He accompanied his remarks with screen slides made from snapshots that he took while on duty. Pike is to give his talk with the pictures again tomorrow evening at the Union before the student body.

#### HENRY NEWBEGIN '57 AN OVERSEER DIES

Henry Newbegin '57, died at his home in Defiance, Ohio, Sunday, Jan. 7. Since 1862 he had been a lawyer in Defiance and was one of the oldest members of the Ohio bar. He was a law partner of Benjamin Barnes Kingsbury '57, who died two years ago. Both were charter members of the Eta chapter of Theta Delta Chi. With the death of Rev. Henry F. Harding '50 on Friday, Jan. 5, Newbegin for two days had the distinction of being the oldest overseer. He had been a member of that board since 1887. He sent three sons to Bowdoin, Edward H. Newbegin '91, Parker Newbegin '91, and Robert Newbegin '96.

#### RIFLE NOTES

In the last match shot with the Androscoggin Rifle Club last Tuesday, it is worthy of note that Tillson '19, who never had had any experience with a rifle, made a perfect score in the prone shooting. This fact shows that natural aptitude counts fully as much as perfected skill. It is hoped that this will encourage men who are interested to drop down to the range Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons to try their hand.

A re-entry match will be instituted to further interest the men in this sport. In this event a man can shoot as many "prone" or "off hand" targets as he chooses, and his five highest targets



will count as his season's score.

The prizes will be awarded in April at the end of the indoor season, to the men standing in first, second, fifth, seventh, tenth and fifteenth positions. This scheme thus gives men of mediocre ability, as well as the crack shots, an equal opportunity for winning prizes.

#### HOCKEY GAMES ARRANGED

Manager MacIninch has arranged for the following games:

Bowdoin vs. Colby at Brunswick.

Bowdoin vs. M. I. T. at Boston.

Bowdoin vs. Bates at Lewiston.

Bowdoin vs. Portland Country Club at Brunswick.

Bowdoin vs. Canadian Club of Portland at Brunswick.

Bowdoin vs. Maine at Orono.

Bowdoin vs. Bates at Brunswick.

Besides these, negotiations are pending for games with Boston College and Trinity. The dates for the above games have not yet been set, on account of the uncertainty as to the condition of the rink.

#### STUDENT COUNCIL MEETS

At the meeting of the Student Council last Wednesday further plans for making the vaudeville show a great hit were developed. A report from the Christmas dance committee showed a favorable surplus of \$37.90.

The matter of a week-end Commencement, which will soon be brought before the College for discussion, was brought up, and although the Council discussed this matter to some length, no final decision will be made until later.

The Council was heartily in favor of the new plan of reserving dormitory rooms for the Freshman.

#### WYMAN TELLS BIOLOGISTS OF FOSSILS

The Biology Club held a well attended meeting at the Delta Upsilon House, Jan. 9. Four speeches were made by various members of the club, and an interesting paper, "Fossils in Maine," was read by Wyman '18. At the next meeting, which will take place in the Biological Laboratory, the second Tuesday in February, it is planned to have an outsider lecture to the members.

#### DEBATERS FOR MEXICAN PROTECTORATE

In the English 5 debate last Tuesday night, Keubler '17 and Gardner '19 upheld the affirmative, and Young '17 and Coombs '18, the neg-

ative of the question, Resolved: That the United States should establish a temporary protectorate over Mexico. The members of the class who acted as judges gave the decision to the affirmative. After the debate the class discussed the merits of the question.

#### JUNIOR PICTURES UNDER WAY

The Juniors are sitting for their class pictures at Webber's every day now. The terms for the pictures are practically the same as last year, in spite of the increased cost, but terms will be strictly cash. Appointments are being made by John B. Matthews '18, through the *Bugle* representatives in the various houses. Any questions as to the hours of sittings should be referred to Matthews at once. A class meeting was held last week, principally for this purpose. The *Bugle* tax is due now, and is payable to the fraternity representatives on the board. The matter of class colors was referred to the Ivy Committee.

#### With the Faculty

Professor Cram was in Boston last week where he attended a meeting of the Northeastern Section of the American Chemical Society, which was held Friday evening at the Engineers' Club.

Dr. Copeland announced the birth of a son last week, and cigars accompanied the announcement to the class in Zoo 9.

A picture of the young son of Dr. Gross appeared in the Rotogavure section of the *Boston Herald*, Sunday, as an example of amateur photography.

Mr. MacCormick has been conducting a class in educational psychology for the teachers of Westbrook this winter.

#### On the Campus

Oliver '17 is taking Bartlett's place as instructor in Latin A.

English 6 will not be offered during the coming semester in accordance with a vote of the faculty.

Jack Magee is giving the town boys instructions in track at the gym classes in Wheeler Hall.

Phillip G. Clifford '03 of the Trustees was on the campus last week, visiting a number of the classes.

Delta Kappa Epsilon will hold its house party on Friday, Feb. 16, the day before the Sophomore hop.

The class in History 9 unsuccessfully petitioned that the final examination in that subject be given on Wednesday, Jan. 24, the day before the examination period commences.

Entrance examinations in Algebra and Plane Geometry will be held the last of this month, if enough students wish to take them. Application should be made to the Dean.

The new hockey uniforms, consisting of black jerseys with white stripes, similar to those worn in football, and white running pants with black borders, were worn by the team for the first time in the game Saturday with striking effect.

All men who wish to enter either the pool or billiard tournaments are requested to hand in their names at the Union as soon as possible. The contestants in each tournament are to be divided up into groups of ten or less, and the winners of each group are to form a group of ten or less, from which the winner is decided by elimination. In this way, no man will be obliged to play more than ten or twelve matches. No entry fee is required.

It was brought out in an American History Conference last week, that the house now occupied by Professor Mitchell was a station on the Underground Railroad in the ante-bellum days when fugitive slaves were spirited away into Canada. Professor William Smyth, who was an ardent abolitionist, occupied the house at the time.

#### CALENDAR

TUESDAY, JAN. 16

- 5.00 P. M. Glee Club Rehearsal, Music Room.
- 7.00 P. M. English Debate, Memorial Hall.
- 7.30 P. M. Musical Club Soloists' Concert, Union.

- 8.00 P. M. Chemical Club Meets, Deke House.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 17

- 5.00 P. M. Mandolin Club Rehearsal, Memorial Hall.

- 8.15 P. M. Lecture in Union by Pike '17 and Sewall ex-'17 on "American Ambulance Corps."

THURSDAY, JAN. 18

- 5.00 P. M. Glee Club Rehearsal, Music Room.
- 8.00 P. M. Class of '68 Prize Speaking, Memorial Hall.

FRIDAY, JAN. 19

- 5.00 P. M. Mandolin Club Rehearsal, Memorial Hall.

Bowdoin vs. Harvard, Fencing, at Cambridge.

SATURDAY, JAN. 20

Hockey Team vs. Canadian Club of Portland, Portland Country Club.

Preparatory School Conference at Bath.

TUESDAY, JAN. 23

Musical Clubs at Auburn.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 24

Alumni Dinner at Boston.

THURSDAY, JAN. 25

Semester Examinations Begin.

FRIDAY, JAN. 26

Alumni Dinner at New York.

SATURDAY, JAN. 27

Alumni Dinner at Portland.

SATURDAY, FEB. 3

B. A. A. relay races at Boston.

MONDAY, FEB. 5

Second Semester Begins.

THURSDAY, FEB. 8

Classical Club Meets With Professor Woodruff.

#### RESOLUTIONS

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Jan. 12, 1917.

With the death of Brother Henry Newbegin of the class of 1857 the Eta meets with a distinct loss.

Active to the end, he was devoted to the charge, which he helped to found, and to the College of which he was one of the oldest overseers.

The charge records with regret the death of one active in its founding and interests.

EARLE WARREN COOK,

ROBERT GREENHALGH ALBION,

HUGH ADDISON MITCHELL,

*For the Charge.*

#### Alumni Notes

'74.—An announcement of the marriage of Prof. Daniel O. S. Lowell to Miss Anna M. Jordan of Portland, Me., has been received.

Mr. Lowell is known in educational circles throughout the country. He was born in Oxford, Me., in 1851, and prepared for college at North Bridgton Academy. After his graduation from Bowdoin he was principal, first of Gould's Academy, and later of Ellsworth High School. In 1884 he became a member of the faculty of the Roxbury Latin School, and in 1909 was appointed its headmaster, after 25 years of service.

Mr. Lowell is president of the Boston Esperanto Society, and an officer in the National Society. He has frequently contributed important articles on educational subjects to books and papers of national distribution. Among his own books "Jason's Quest" is possibly the best known.

Medic '98.—Word has been received of the marriage, on Christmas morning, of Dr. Benjamin F. Sturgis, Jr., to Mrs. E. Janet Sherry

of Salem, Mass. The bride, who is a nurse, had previously conducted the open air hospital of the Salem Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis.

'95.—William M. Ingraham of Portland, Assistant Secretary of the Navy, will be one of the seven delegates to represent the Portland Chamber of Commerce at the annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States of America, to be held at the Willard Hotel in Washington, Jan. 31, Feb. 1-2.

'96.—Henry Hill Pierce, of the law firm of Sullivan & Cromwell, New York City, was elected a member of the Board of Directors of the Equitable Trust Company at its last annual meeting in December. This is one of the largest trust companies in the city of New York.

'12.—James M. Gillin is City Solicitor of Bangor and represents the City of Bangor in the "Graft Cases" which are being tried at this term of the Supreme Judicial Court for Penobscot County and in which the city brings suit against

'00.—Supt. Henry H. Randall has been elected secretary and treasurer of the New England Superintendents Association, at their recent meeting in Boston. The honor is the more praiseworthy because it came unsolicited. He had been specially requested to attend the meeting in order to explain the purpose and method of the new Junior High School which he has lately established in Auburn, and the idea of which has already been adopted by several large cities.

'07.—Roscoe H. Hupper has become a member of the firm of Burlingham, Montgomery and Beecher, of New York City.

'08.—Albert T. Gould has become a member of the firm of Blodgett, Jones, Burnham, and Bingham, of Boston.

Ex-'09.—Dr. Edgar F. Sewall has been appointed to the staff of the Somerville Hospital. various local contractors and former city officials for money wrongfully obtained from the city.

'12.—Clyde R. Chapman graduates from University of Maine Law School this spring, completing the course in two years and expects now to practice in Portland.

'12.—Harold P. Vannah, who was with H. P. Hood & Sons at Newport, Vt., is now at St. Johnsbury, Vt., with Fairbanks Scales Company and in charge of their chemical laboratory at their home plant in that town.

'12.—Herbert E. Locke of Augusta was recently admitted to practice before the United States Circuit Court of Appeals in Boston and argued a case before that court.

## REVISED SCHEDULE OF EXAMS.

THURSDAY, JAN. 25

Zoölogy 1	Art 1
Education 1, 3	Hygiene
English 19	Music 1
French 9	Psychology 1
Latin 3	
Physics 3	

FRIDAY, JAN. 26

Zoölogy 3	Astronomy 1
Chemistry 1	Economics 3
Greek A 1, 3	English 3
Latin 1	Latin 5
Music 5	Psychology 5

SATURDAY, JAN. 27

Chemistry 5, 7	French 1
Economics 5	German 1, 7, 11
History 1	
Music 3	
Physics 1	

MONDAY, JAN. 29

History 7	Zoölogy 9
Government 1	Economics 1
Philosophy 1	Greek 7
Surveying 1	

TUESDAY, JAN. 30

German 3, 9	English 13
Psychology 3	French 3
	Geology

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 31

French 7	Chemistry 3
History 3	English 1, 5
Latin A	
Physics 5	

THURSDAY, FEB. 1

Government 3	History 9
Mathematics 1, 3, 5, 7	Italian 1

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## PROF. HAM BACK FROM RUSSIA

Professor Roscoe J. Ham, who has been in Russia as special assistant to the American ambassador at Petrograd, since last June, arrived in New York last Saturday from Bergen, and will return to the College this week. Upon arriving at New York, he went to Washington to make his report. His work has been among the prisoners in the Russian camps and the student body is anticipating his first accounts of the experiences in Europe. Professor Ham will conduct his German classes during the second semester.

## LANE WINS '68 PRIZE SPEAKING

Declaring that the college trained negro must be the mediary in bringing the black and white races together, David Alphonso Lane, Jr. '17, won the Class of '68 prize speaking last Thursday evening. Lane also brought out the fact that the first negro to receive a college education in America was a graduate of Bowdoin in the class of 1826.

Two of the speeches dealt with the war, Jacob discussing the New Germany and Achorn speaking on Lloyd George. White dealt with the idealism of America, according to the views of Tagore and Munsterberg; Blanchard's subject was Dickens, and Crosby told of the conditions and needs in municipal government.

The judges were Rev. Charles R. Joy, Albert W. Tolman '88, and George E. Fogg '02.

The program was:

The New Germany . . . . Francis William Jacob  
Idealism in America . . . . Hal Saunders White  
The Great Experiment . . Clarence Henry Crosby  
Lloyd George and the World Crisis,

Erik Achorn

The Humor of the Gods,

Edwin Howard Blanchard

The Task of the College Trained Negro,

David Alphonso Lane, Jr.

## MR. MACCORMICK IN NAVAL PRISON

With Thomas Mott Osborne, Mr. MacCormick has been incarcerated in the Portsmouth Naval Prison during the past week in an investigation of the prison conditions. While not in the complete incognito in which he made his investiga-

tions in the State Prison at Thomaston, Mr. MacCormick, together with Osborne, were subjected to the regular naval discipline, and had to submit to the prison tansure. Headlines on the front pages of the Boston papers last week announced that "Prof. John MacCormick, professor of political science at Bowdoin" was a member of the swill gang and that Osborne was a mess assistant.

These two, together with Osborne's chauffeur, Harry Bolaskey, went aboard the detention ship, the U. S. Southerny on Tuesday and on Wednesday were committed to the prison as naval deserters. They slept in hammocks, and underwent all of the hardships of the prisoners. On Sunday they received their honorable discharges from the navy, but Osborne will remain in Portsmouth for a few days more to gather information.

The investigation is one of the most important which has been made in prison affairs recently, and the results will not yet be made public. Mr. MacCormick has spoken with the former warden of Sing Sing on several occasions and has taken an active part in prison investigations.

## HARVARD DEFEATS FENCERS

Harvard defeated Bowdoin 7 to 2 in the first fencing match of the season, played at Cambridge Friday evening. Captain J. E. Gray '18 was the star for Bowdoin, scoring the two points and nearly winning his bout with Russell, the Harvard captain. He defeated the other two Harvard men, E. R. Gay and R. G. Emmons. The other Bowdoin fencers were H. T. Mooers '18 and G. S. Hargraves '19. The next match is with Yale at New Haven on Feb. 10.

## FIRST RELAY TIME TRIALS HELD

The date for the Maine championships is rapidly nearing and the coaches are fast whipping their men into shape.

Coach Magee held time trials in the gym last week which resulted in Harris '20 equalling the one lap record formerly held by Webber '17; and Simonton '18 and Turner '19 equalling the college two lap record held by Crosby '17. Turner also came within 1-5 of a second of the college "390" record held by Crosby. The team is fast rounding into good condition and Coach Magee



expects that the team will be up to the standard of past years. Wynan '18, Cleaves '20, Smith '20 and Noyes '20 are showing up extremely well and the coach expects to see these youngsters pressing the veterans hard to hold their places. This week will find the new men rounding into still better condition on account of the keen competition.

It is as yet uncertain just what the composition of Bowdoin's team will be, but no doubt Coach Magee will make known the team by next Saturday's trials.

The drawings for heats in the B. A. A. races have not yet been announced, consequently Bowdoin does not know at this time, whom they will meet in the trial heat.

From late reports Maine with three of last year's veterans is very confident of taking Bowdoin's measure, as well as Bates' and Colby's in the trials, and of finally winning the championship, which they have sought for two years.

Last year Bowdoin was paired with Bates in the first heat, and the heat was won by Bowdoin. In the first heat in which Colby was paired with Maine, the heat was won quite easily by the latter. In the finals Maine defaulted on account of an injury to Ziegler, one of the strongest runners, this gave the race to Bowdoin.

#### BOWDOIN AMBULANCE PROPOSED

"France has one man out of every six in the war" said Loyall F. Sewall ex-17, and throughout a very pertinent and graphic lecture, delivered in the Union last Wednesday evening, he emphasized the enormous sacrifices France is making in the present war and the comparatively little that we, as a peaceful nation, are doing to help her.

Carlton M. Pike '17, who also spoke very ably during the course of the evening, left with Sewall to join the Ambulance Corps last February. Mr. Pike had a remarkably fine collection of slides taken in France which were shown in connection with the lecture. The slides were particularly good, considering the great difficulty of taking pictures almost "anywhere" in France.

Sewall spoke very feelingly on different phases of the war. The Allies, he thought, would ultimately triumph, although the Germans were still obsessed with the mania of ruling the world.

Pike, speaking last, dwelt at length on the "American Ambulance Field Service." He told of the beginning of the work, of the wealthy Americans who placed their cars at the service of the Allies for the transit of wounded men, of the coming of various college men to act as

chauffeurs and lastly of the present day service, by which the wounded men are taken directly to Paris.

Dean Sills, who introduced the speakers, commented upon the fact that Bowdoin College and the town of Brunswick were both represented in the work of caring for the injured men, and also expressed his pleasure at this. He included an appeal to the people of Brunswick for more aid in the activities of the American Ambulance Field Service which both lecturers strongly seconded.

As a result of the talk, the agitation was started to provide for a Bowdoin ambulance at the front. While it would be one of the most heroic undertakings which the College has yet attempted, the fact that both alumni and undergraduates are so actively engaged at the front will make the matter a vital one. Dean Sills was appointed the head of the committee in charge of the campaign. Several other colleges have ambulances at the front, and there is a strong possibility that Bowdoin will also be represented.

#### DR. ROBINSON '08 HEAD OF HARVARD UNIT

Dr. Carl M. Robinson of the Class of 1908 has the distinction of being the present head of the Harvard Unit in France, a position which places him superior to some thirty physicians and surgeons, most of whom are at least ten years his senior. He holds the rank of major with a tent and place at the table next to the colonel commanding the regiment.

Dr. Robinson received this signal honor for his brilliant work in the medical field, and he is at this time engaged in inaugurating a system of research by which he hopes to discover proper treatments for the new diseases resulting from trench war-fare. With Dr. Robinson in France are two other Bowdoin men: Sumner Jackson '07, and Frank Smith '12. Dr. H. A. Woodward '10 has just offered his services to the work and will go to the front with the next Harvard Unit.

#### RIFLE MEN LOSE AGAIN BY CLOSE SCORE

By the close margin of five points, the Bowdoin Rifle Club lost its second indoor match to the Androscoggin Rifle Club of Lewiston. Ten men on each team scored out of the 25 who shot, and the score was 913 to 908. There were several men who were shooting practically their first matches at Bowdoin, and two of those in the first five had had no previous experience. Johnson '18 was again the high man of the shoot, scoring 99 out of a possible hundred. He scored 50 in the prone and 49 in the offhand. John White of the Lewiston team ranked second with a 98, and

there were two 93's on each team. The match extended through the week, and the last shots were fired Saturday afternoon at Brunswick, for the time during which the students use the range is limited, and it took three days for the 25 to shoot.

The score was:

## ANDROSCOGGIN

	Offhand	Prone	Total
J. White .....	48	50	98
Whitehouse .....	43	50	93
Coombs .....	43	50	93
T. White .....	42	50	92
Coburn .....	44	47	91
Curley .....	45	46	91
Pottle .....	45	46	91
Whitney .....	42	48	90
Ash .....	38	49	87
D. White .....	47	40	87

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	Offhand	Prone	Total
Johnson '18 .....	49	50	99
Prof. Langley .....	44	49	93
McConaughy '17 .....	44	49	93
Tillson '19 .....	46	46	92
Call '18 .....	43	47	90
Dennett '20 .....	42	48	90
Ellms '20 .....	41	48	89
Hurlin '18 .....	42	46	88
J. E. Gray '18 .....	40	48	88
Schlosberg '18 .....	36	50	86

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## CANADIAN CLUB DEFEATS HOCKEY TEAM

Although Bowdoin lost last Saturday to the Canadian Hockey Club at the Portland Country Club rink, the game was much faster than their first game and abounded with spectacular plays.

At the beginning of the first period the game looked as though it was going to be close and evenly matched, and it was eight minutes before Hall netted the first goal for the Canadians. Gunn quickly followed Hall with another goal. Hall then repeated and ended the scoring for the first period, when he got a loose puck and snapped a fast one, which Phillips had no chance to intercept.

Both teams played much faster throughout the second period. In the first five minutes Curry and Hall caged two more goals, as the result of some fine stick work. Bowdoin then tried hard

to score, and although their defense came up with the forward line, the Canadians managed to hold off the attack. Kennedy then scored the final goal for the opponents.

Captain MacIninch '19 and Phillips '17 starred for Bowdoin. Phillips did excellent work at goal and prevented the opponents from running up a larger score.

## CANADIAN CLUB

## BOWDOIN

Kennedy, rw .....	lw, Hanson
Hall, c .....	c, Bartlett
Curry, r .....	r, Burr
Gunn, lw .....	rw, Delahanty
Melaugh, cp .....	cp, MacIninch
Smith, p .....	p, Bradford
Rowze, g .....	g, Phillips

Score, Canadian Club 6. Goals made by Hall 3, Gunn, Curry, Kennedy. Referee, Clapp. Goal umpires, Snow, Russell. Timer, Owen. Time, 20 and 25 minute periods.

## FOUR ALUMNI DINNERS THIS WEEK

This is a busy week for the big Bowdoin Alumni Associations in the East, when four of them hold their annual dinners. The Boston Association meets on Jan. 24, New York on Jan. 26, and Portland and Philadelphia on Jan. 27.

President Hyde will attend and speak at the Boston dinner tomorrow which takes place at Young's Hotel. The Boston Association expects a large and enthusiastic meeting. The New York dinner which takes place on Friday will be held at the Holland House. Although President Hyde is expected it will be impossible for him to get to all the meetings coming so close together, and Professor Mitchell will represent him and speak. The other features of the New York program will be a talk by Dr. Fred H. Albee '99, who has been doing medical work with the Allies in France; speeches by Hon. Charles F. Johnson '79, United States Senator from this State; Congressman Daniel J. McGillicuddy '81, and Congressman John A. Peters '85. Romilly Johnson '06 will sing several selections. The meeting will close with moving pictures of French war scenes, and slides of the College.

What is expected to be one of the most enthusiastic meetings ever held by the Portland Alumni Association will be held Saturday evening at the Falmouth Hotel. President Hyde and Ex-Governor Cobb will both be present and talk. Delegations from the Augusta and Lewiston Associations are expected. On Saturday night also the association at Philadelphia will gather. Here, as in New York, Professor Mitchell will represent the President.

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## American College Men in France

The letter below needs no comment. We are all aware of the services which a few interested volunteers have given the cause of the Allies in France, and we are proud of the part of the few Bowdoin men who have had a share. Aid in hospital work as performed by the American Ambulance Corps opens a great field for American college men who wish to have a part in this cause. The graphic descriptions of their work given by Pike and Sewall last week

aroused much interest. A large detachment of Harvard undergraduates is leaving for France early in February. Here is an opportunity for anyone who can afford a little time and expense for a great experience in sacrifice for the saving of lives.

AMERICAN AMBULANCE FIELD SERVICE

November 22nd, 1916.

To the Editor:—

May I ask the privilege of your columns to call to the attention of your readers the pending formation by the American Ambulance Field Service in France of several new sections, and the opportunity which will be available during the next months for an additional number of volunteers who are interested in France and who would like to be of service there?

We have already more than 200 cars driven by American volunteers, mostly university men, grouped in sections which have served at the front, in Flanders, on the Somme, on the Aisne, in Champagne, at Verdun (five sections including 120 cars at the height of the battle) in Lorraine and in reconquered Alsace, and one of our veteran sections has received the signal tribute from the French army staff of being attached to the French army of the Orient in the Balkans. We are now on the point of greatly enlarging our service for the last lap of the war, and a considerable number of new places are available.

Every American has reason to be proud of the chapter which these few hundred American youths have written into the history of this prodigious period. Each of the several sections of the American Ambulance Field Service as a whole and fifty-four of their individual members have been decorated by the French army with the Croix de Guerre or the Medaille Militaire for valor in the performance of their work.

The nature of this work, and the reason for these remarkable tributes from the army of France is clearly presented in the official report of the first year and a half's service published by Houghton Mifflin & Co., Boston, under the title of "Friends of France."

Information as to the requirements of and qualifications for the service will be gladly sent by Henry D. Sleeper from the Boston Headquarters of the Field Service at Lee, Higginson & Co., 40 State Street, or may be obtained from Wm. R. Hereford at the New York Headquarters, 14 Wall Street.

The American Ambulance Field Service has recently been described by a member of General Joffre's staff as "the finest flower of the mag-

nificent wreath offered by the Great America to her little Latin sister."

There are surely many more of the sterling youths of America who would like to add their little to that wreath.

The following men from Bowdoin College have been members of the American Ambulance Corps: H. A. Manderson, C. M. Pike and L. F. Sewall.

A. PIATT ANDREW,  
Inspector General,  
*American Ambulance Field Service.*

## Communications

Buxton Center, Maine, Jan. 17, 1917.

To the Editor of the ORIENT:—

I have just finished reading this week's edition of the ORIENT and note with considerable concern the editorial under the caption: "A Plea for the Band." As an ex-manager of the band, I most keenly sympathize with the two men in charge of it this year. They are facing a serious proposition, the successful solution of which can be made only with the earnest coöperation of the student body.

Since my connection with Bowdoin began, I am very sorry to say, this activity has never been all that a most conservative judge could rightly expect of a college organization. There have been two or three years that we have been credited with possessing the best college band in the state, but the element "luck" is more responsible for that fact than good hard, earnest work. I have never known the College to be without sufficient material. The few good bands which we have had, have been due to the fact that there were enough reasonably good musicians in College who knew how to get in tune and keep together when they were called upon to play for a given occasion, and not to industrious application at rehearsals.

The nature of football requires constant, hard practice, but a few men can get together with as many instruments and manage to slaughter a piece of music and the student body endures it. Why does the student body endure it? Simply because the band seems not to be vitally responsible for the number of scores made. It is, however. Music will stir a man to greater energy a good many times when nothing else will, and when a Bowdoin band sends strains of *music* to her warriors on the field, it gives them new courage and determination.

If this doesn't appeal to you as being sufficient reason for working with your leader and man-

ager at rehearsals, let the element pride play a part.

I appeal to the members of the student body, who wish to be recognized as a part of the band, to attend rehearsals in order to make it the organization it should be, out of respect to Old Bowdoin.

Very truly yours,  
ELDIN H. AUSTIN '15.

## VAUDEVILLE SHOW

The Student Council has just closed a contract with the New York Hippodrome management, whereby clever, cunning, coquetting comedians and comediennes are to present many maddening musical melanges for the entertainment of Bowdoin men and their guests on Feb. 9. Yes, Billy Sunday is coming, too. The handsome Hawaiian Hula-Hula handmaids will hustle hospitably and many merry minstrels will make melancholy migrate. Clever contortionists will cavort curiously et cetera. The Board of Censorship has refused "Lay Down Your Canes" a reappearance.

## ALUMNI PROMINENT AT MAINE BAR

At the session of the Maine Bar Association held at Augusta on Wednesday, January 10, the members were addressed by former President William H. Taft. His address was upon Edward Livingston, one of the most prominent figures in legal annals in the early history of the country. He prefaced it by a few remarks upon some of Maine's great men he had known, mentioning: James G. Blaine (LL.D. 1884), Thomas B. Reed '60, Nelson Dingley, Charles E. Boutelle and many others.

Mr. Taft's address was followed by a business session of the association. The following officers were elected:

President, John A. Morrill '76 of Auburn.  
Vice-Presidents, Augustine Simmons '71 of North Anson, Charles Sumner Cook of Portland, Cyrus Blanchard of Wilton.

Secretary-Treasurer, Norman Bassett of Augusta.

Executive Committee, Ralph L. Parker, Rumford; John A. Morrison, Pittsfield; Wallace H. White, Jr. '99 of Lewiston; Edward F. Merrill '03 of Skowhegan; Frank G. Farrington '94 of Augusta.

Following the business meeting a banquet was held at the Augusta House. Among the speakers of the evening were: Hon. W. H. Taft, Gov. Carl E. Milliken, Lucillus A. Emery '61, former Chief Justice of Maine, Leonard A. Pierce '05, and Judge Joseph W. Symonds '60 of Portland.



## MUSICAL CLUBS' PROGRAM

## PART I

Forward the White

GLEE AND MANDOLIN CLUBS

Tenor Solo

HILL

Song of the Sea ..... *Stebbins*

GLEE CLUB

Forward March ..... *Thompson*

MANDOLIN CLUB

Reading

MOORE

At the Crossroads ..... *F. F. Bullard*

GLEE CLUB

Violin and Flute Duet ..... *Traum de Sinnerin**August in Labitsky*

McGERRILL AND STURGIS

Romance of a Rose ..... *O'Conner*

MANDOLIN CLUB

## PART II

The Musical Trust ..... *H. Hadley*

GLEE CLUB

Flute Solo ..... *Serenade, Victor Herbert*

STURGIS

"The Pizzicatto Polka" from "Sylvia" *Delibes*

MANDOLIN CLUB

Tenor Solo

HILL

Reading

MOORE

Sweet Miss Mary ..... *W. H. Niedlinger*

(a) Bowdoin Beata

(b) Phi Chi

GLEE AND MANDOLIN CLUBS

## VEREIN RECORDS MISSING

The archives of the Deutscher Verein have disappeared. The secretaries of the past few years have been interviewed, but as yet no clue has been discovered. The archives are valuable, for they contain the signatures of the members since the establishment of the club in 1895. The Verein enjoys the distinction of having the longest continuous existence of any departmental club in College, and has had some famous members in its day. Anyone giving information which leads to discovery will be rewarded with the Iron Cross and become an Ehrenmitglied of the society.

At the first meeting of the year, held at the residence of Professor Files, a dozen new members were initiated with the usual five minute speeches in German, and the election of officers resulted in the following choice: Harvey D. Miller '17, president; Boyd W. Bartlett '17, secretary, and Bela W. Norton '18, treasurer. Plans

are being laid for several meetings during the winter and spring, leading ultimately to the Bummel at New Meadows in June.

## DEBATING RALLY TONIGHT

A gathering of all students interested in debating will be held in connection with the final debate in English 5 tonight, at 7 o'clock in Memorial Hall. Plans for the year will be discussed and several alumni who have represented the College in debating will be present and will speak. Refreshments will be provided.

The usual debate will begin at seven. Those students unable to attend the entire evening are urged to come at 8.45 for the rally proper, which immediately follows the debate.

The question for tonight is: Resolved, That the United States should inaugurate an international league to enforce peace.

## MONROE DOCTRINE

## FOR VARSITY DEBATERS

Trials for the Bradbury Debates will be held Feb. 7 or 8. The question is: "Resolved, that the United States could better protect the Western Hemisphere by an understanding with Great Britain than the policy known as the Monroe Doctrine." The trials will consist of a five minute speech on any phase of the question. Organization, general understanding of the question in its aspects, and delivery form the basis for the choice.

Inasmuch as this is the question for the inter-collegiate debates with Wesleyan and Hamilton and the Bradburys constitute trials for varsity teams, all intending to compete should hand in their names as soon as possible to Jacob '17.

No debate with Vermont can be arranged previous to the spring vacation, but the Council is considering the advisability of a debate after that date.

## INTERSCHOLASTIC DEBATING

Professor Davis announces that the question for the annual Bowdoin College Interscholastic Debating League will be: "Resolved, that the United States should adopt a system of universal military training similar to that of Australia." This is the first year that each school has provided two teams. This change has taken place by the request of the schools. Lisbon Falls and Cony High Schools have been obliged to withdraw this year from the league. There will be three leagues: the first, league A, consisting of Edward Little High School and Portland High School; league B, Biddeford, Lewiston and West-

brook High Schools; and league C, Bath and Brunswick High Schools. League A will hold debates on March 9 in their respective schools. The coaches are J. R. Gardner '19 and Moran '17 for the schools in order.

League B will hold debates February 16. The coaches in order are: Kuebler '17, Coburn '19 and Coombs '18.

League C will hold debates February 16. The coaches in order are: Bowdoin '17 and P. C. Young '18.

The committee in charge of the Interscholastic Debating this year are: J. W. Coburn '19, chairman, R. H. Cobb '17 and Foulke '19.

### BOWDOIN BEATA FOR THE VICTROLA

From the *Maine Campus* we learn that an effort is being made to have the Victor Talking Machine Company produce a Victrola record containing a medley of the songs of the four Maine colleges. Records have been made of such songs as "Lord Geoffrey Amherst," "Fair Harvard," "The Orange and Black," and they have been found quite profitable. The combined student and alumni bodies of Bowdoin, Bates, Maine, and Colby would warrant the success of the record, and it is probable that it will appear this spring.

### INTERSCHOLASTIC BASEBALL SCHEDULE

The schedule of the Bowdoin Interscholastic Baseball League has been arranged by Assistant Manager Cole '19. It is hoped to form more divisions of the league and arrangements with other high and preparatory schools throughout the state are pending. The Bowdoin Athletic Association recently voted a sum of money for the purchase of cups to be awarded to the winners in the various divisions. The following is the tentative schedule:

#### HOME TEAM

April 25—Brunswick vs. Lisbon Falls.

April 28—Lisbon Falls vs. Lewiston.

May 2—Lewiston vs. Auburn.

Brunswick vs. Bath.

May 5—Brunswick vs. Lewiston.

May 9—Lisbon Falls vs. Auburn.

May 12—Lewiston vs. Bath.

May 16—Lewiston vs. Lisbon Falls.

Bath vs. Auburn (pending).

May 19—Lisbon Falls vs. Bath.

Lewiston vs. Brunswick.

May 23—Brunswick vs. Auburn.

May 26—Auburn vs. Bath.

May 30—Auburn vs. Lewiston (A. M.)

Bath vs. Lisbon Falls (P. M.)

June 2—Auburn vs. Lisbon Falls.

Bath vs. Brunswick.

June 6—Lisbon Falls vs. Brunswick.

June 9—Auburn vs. Brunswick.

Bath vs. Lewiston.

### 1907 REUNION

The class of 1907 is to have its 10th reunion within the near future. A meeting of 1907 alumni living near Portland will be held Monday to determine particulars. Further details will be given later.

### 1912 TO RETURN FOR ITS FIFTH

According to Seward J. Marsh '12, the chairman of the reunion committee, his class is actively engaged in plans for the biggest fifth reunion yet staged. It is the largest class which Bowdoin has graduated, and at least 75 members are expected to return. The committee in charge of arrangements are Seward J. Marsh, chairman, Harold C. Ashey, Mark W. Burlingame, George F. Cressey, and Leland G. Means. The plans are not as yet matured but a publicity program is under way which is expected to bring back a record number. It is planned to have the baseball game between the varsity and the alumni a regular one this year, and altogether it is expected that the Commencement will be more of a gala affair than ever, for the class is cooperating with the ten and 15 year classes, and an effort is being made to get back the men who are one, two, and three years out as well as those five year classes.

### FRESHMEN REPRESENT

#### MANY PREP SCHOOLS

The class of 1920 is drawn from 85 preparatory schools, sixty-four of which are high schools and 21 are academies and other classes of schools. Following is the distribution by schools and states:

#### High Schools Academies

Maine	39	11
Massachusetts	16	3
New Hampshire	—	3
New York	2	3
Rhode Island	1	—
Connecticut	3	1
Virginia	1	—
District of Columbia	2	—
Total	64	21

There are twenty-three of these schools that have at least two men in the class of 1920.

Bath High School leads with seven in attendance. Bangor High is second with five, while Hebron Academy and Portland High each have

four. Cony, Brunswick, Dexter, Guilford, Lisbon Falls, South Portland and Strong High Schools and Calais Academy, Maine Central Institute, and Coburn Classical have three each. Edward Little, Farmington, Fort Fairfield, Norway, Deering, Saco and Skowhegan High Schools, the Huntington Avenue School, Boston, and the Central High School, Washington, D. C., have two each.

This gives a total of 68 men coming from schools having at least two in College. This shows that more than 50% of the class of 1920 comes from schools which have sent only one to Bowdoin this year. Of these 68 men 75% are from high schools.

#### UNION ATTENDANTS CHOSEN

The Union attendants chosen last Monday evening are:

Fillmore '17, Willey '17, Cole '19, Hutchinson '19, Harris '20. Alternates: Murch '18, Flanders '20, Ellms '20.

#### THE CHEMICAL CLUB HEARS PROF. EVANS

The Chemical Club held a meeting at the D. K. E. house last Tuesday evening. Professor H. D. Evans of the State Laboratory at Augusta spoke to the members upon "The Interpretation of Water Analysis." Probably on March 8th, Mr. H. A. Houston, a representative of the German Alkali Works, will lecture to the College on "The German Potash Industry."

#### SECOND BLANKET TAX NOT FAR OFF

Attention is called to the fact that the usual blanket tax collection will take place between the hours of 8.30 to 12.30 P. M. and 1 to 5.30 on the following days, February 5, 6 and 7. Applications for extensions must be made at this time. The assessment is \$7.50 as usual.

#### PLANS FOR INTERSCHOLASTIC MEET

The fifth annual Bowdoin College Interscholastic Indoor Meet and Relay Carnival will be held Saturday afternoon, Feb 10, in the Hyde Athletic Building. The list of events includes a 40 yd. dash, 45 yd. high hurdles, 220 yd. run, 440 yd. run, 880 yd. run, 12 lb. shot put, high jump, broad jump and pole vault. The following schools have signified their intention of sending teams for this event:

Bangor High, Berlin (N. H.) High, Biddeford High, Brunswick High, Colby Academy, Cony High, Deering High, Edward Little High, Freeport High, Fryeburg Academy, Gardiner High, Hebron Academy, Kent's Hill, Leavitt Institute,

Lewiston High, Lincoln Academy, Lisbon High, Morse High, Portland High, St. John's Prep., Topsham High and Westbrook Seminary.

#### COLLEGE RESIDENCE OF STUDENTS

	Seniors	Juniors	Sophomores	Freshmen	Special	Total
Alpha Delta Phi House ..	3	4	3	2		12
Psi Upsilon House .....	2	7	8			17
Delta Kappa Epsilon House	2	1	8		1	19
Theta Delta Chi House ..	4	3	3	6		16
Zeta Psi House .....	5	5	3	1	1	15
Delta Upsilon House .....	10	5	5	1		21
Kappa Sigma House .....	4	2	4	3	1	14
Beta Theta Pi House .....	2	6	4		1	19
Phi Theta Upsilon House ..	7	7	4	1		19
Bowdoin Club .....			5	8	2	15
North Winthrop .....	5	6	9	12		32
South Winthrop .....	2	6	7	14	1	30
North Maine .....	4	5	5	17		31
South Maine .....	5	10	9	8		32
North Appleton .....	3	2	6	19	1	31
South Appleton .....	1	3	9	19		32
Private Homes .....	9	6	7	34	2	58
At Home .....	3	4	3	4		16
Out of Town .....	2	1	3	5		9
In Absentia .....	1					2
Total .....	84	85	98	157	10	434
Per cent in Fraternities ..	60.7	47.1	49.8	15.9	60.0	37.1
No. in Fraternities .....	51	40	39	25	6	161
Per cent in Dormitories ..	22.8	37.6	45.9	56.7	20.0	43.3
No. in Dormitories .....	20	32	45	89	2	188
Per cent not in Residence ..	15.5	13.3	14.3	27.4	40.0	19.6
No. not in Residence .....	13	13	14	43	2	85

#### MUSIC FOR CHAPEL VESPERS

Prelude, Romanza ..... *Vieuxtemps*  
 Gloria Patri ..... *Gregorix*  
 Hymn 222  
 Anthem, Teach Me Thy Way O Lord

*Adolph Kugler*

Threefold Amen ..... *Anglican*  
 Festival March ..... *Footc*

#### With the Faculty

The lectures on Social Hygiene which Dr. F. H. Gerrish has been giving from time to time to the classes in Hygiene 1, will soon be published by Richard G. Badger of Boston.

Professor Files has just published a bulletin on "The Good Roads Situation in Maine." The articles contained in the pamphlet are reprints of a series that recently appeared in the chief Maine papers, and are the last word on the highway improvement problems in Maine.

Last Friday evening Dean Sills addressed the Town and College Club. His subject was "Campaigning in Maine."

Dean Sills will represent the College at a Yale alumni banquet to be held in Bangor Friday night in honor of Ex-President Taft.

Professor Bell had a communication in the *Boston Herald* last Thursday, confuting Mrs. Skeffington's statements regarding conditions in Ireland during the Sinn Fein revolt.

Professor Hormell spent Monday evening in Auburn, conferring with a committee of the Board of Trade, regarding the provisions of the proposed charter of the City of Auburn.

At the business meeting of the First Parish Church, which was held last Tuesday, Professor Nixon was re-elected assessor.

Professor Davis' new book *English Essayists*, published by Richard Badger of Boston, is now off the press.

Mr. Wilder is preparing a new alumni address list with a geographical index. It will be ready for distribution within a month.

### On the Campus

Daggett '20 has left College.

The course in Latin 8 cannot be given during the second semester.

The Y. M. C. A. Cabinet meeting was held at the Delta Upsilon house last Tuesday evening.

Shumway '17 spoke to the Bowdoin Club of Portland at its monthly luncheon Wednesday noon.

J. B. Pendleton '90, the former football coach, was on the campus last week. He is now traveling for Wright & Ditson Co. of Boston.

A number of preparatory school fellows who were attending the conference at Bath were in town looking over the College this week-end.

Skating has been good on the river this week. Several students have ventured down as far as Bath, although the path is dangerous at times.

On the campus last week were A. W. Tolman '88, J. B. Pendleton '90, G. L. Lewis '01, L. Davis '11, A. S. Merrill '14, I. C. Merrill '15 and F. H. Bates '16.

An interest in bowling has sprung up in the College among many of the men. The Beta Chi Four defeated that of the D. U.'s last Wednesday in two matches.

After a three days' futile application of a tiny garden hose on the hockey rink, the campus authorities finally got a hydrant hose working Friday afternoon and if cold weather continues the team will be able to practice on the ice this week.

Recently the Biological Department of the College received two consignments of cats for use in the laboratory. One came express from Carmel, while the other was from the city of Westbrook.

During the examination period, there will be make up exercises each week day afternoon at 4.30 P. M. All gymnasium absences should be made up before the beginning of the second semester. If for any reason it is impossible to meet this requirement, permission should be obtained for carrying over these absences to the second semester.

### CALENDAR

TUES., JAN. 23

7.00 P. M. English 5 debate, Memorial Hall.  
Musical Clubs at Auburn.

WED., JAN. 24

Alumni dinner at Boston.

THURS., JAN. 25

8.30 A. M. Semester examination begins.

FRI., JAN. 26

Alumni dinner at New York.

SAT., JAN. 27

Alumni dinner at Portland.

Alumni dinner at Philadelphia.

SAT., FEB. 3

B. A. A. relay races at Boston.

MON., FEB. 5

Second semester begins.

WED., FEB. 7

Bradbury debating trials.

THURS., FEB. 8

Classical Club meets with Professor Woodruff.

FRI., FEB. 9

Vaudeville, Memorial Hall.

SAT., FEB. 10

Interscholastic indoor meet.

Fencing, Bowdoin vs. Yale at New Haven.

FRI., FEB. 16

Deke house party.

SAT., FEB. 17

6:30 Sophomore hop.

WED., FEB. 21

Hartford relay races.

### RESOLUTIONS

HALL OF THE KAPPA OF PSI Upsilon

It is with the deepest regret that the Kappa learns of the death of Brother Henry Fiske Harding of the class of 1850.

As the only surviving member of his class and as the oldest member of the Board of Overseers, his death brings a distinct loss to his College and to his fraternity.

FRANK DURHAM HAZELTINE,

JOHN BOLTON SLOGGETT,

JAMES FULLER INGRAHAM,

*For the Chapter.*



## Alumni Notes

'60.—Hon. William Widgery Thomas, after a lapse of nearly a half century is vigorously urging upon the Maine Legislature the adoption of a plan for more such colonization as he himself instituted and carried out in 1870. While Mr. Thomas was commissioner of immigration, he visited Sweden where he had previously served as consul, recruited a colony of 51 Swedes, and sailing to America founded the colony of New Sweden near the St. John River. It is Mr. Thomas' plan to have the state sanction and encourage this kind of colonization.

'68.—Members of the Class of 1868 will be interested in the leading article in the January number of the *American Naturalist* on "The Personality, Heredity and Work of Charles Otis Whitman." Dr. Whitman was a member of the Class of '68 and died in 1910. The article was written by Dr. Charles B. Davenport.

'99.—Dr. Arthur Huntington Nason, for some years assistant professor of English in New York University, was promoted to full professorship at the last meeting of the University Council. Professor Nason took his M.A. degree at Bowdoin in 1903, and in 1915 he was awarded his Ph.D. degree at Columbia. Dr. Nason was appointed instructor of English in New York University in 1905. He is also an instructor in the Union Theological Seminary, director of the recently organized New York University Press, a member of the Authors' Club (New York), the Authors' Club (London), one of the founders (1907) of the Andiron Club of New York City, the publishers of *The Colonnade*, a member of Phi Beta Kappa Society, and the author of several books, among them "Heralds and Heraldry in Jonson's Plays," "Short Themes and Long" and "James Shirley, Dramatist." Concerning Dr. Nason's promotion, the *New York University Calendar* says: "Alumni will remember Dr. Nason as a man whose scholarship and personality alike fit him for a high position in University affairs, and a number of them have already expressed their warm approval of the Council's action."

'01.—John A. Pierce has just published a two volume work entitled "Masterpieces of Modern Drama." It is a collection of present day dramas with an introduction by Brander Mathews.

'10.—Robert Hale recently entered the firm of Booth, Hale, Verrill and Ives of Portland.

'14.—Among the recent engagements of members of the Class of 1914, are the following:

W. C. Coombs to Miss Ruth E. York of

Brunswick.

G. F. Eaton to Miss Elizabeth G. Littlefield.

H. M. Hayes to Miss Mabel M. MacFadyen of Lowell, Mass.

A. S. Merrill to Miss Barbara E. Johnson of Augusta.

E. A. Nason to Miss Lula H. Winters of Harper's Ferry, W. Va.

A. L. Pratt to Miss M. Louise Marson of Boothbay Harbor.

'14.—The wedding of John Heywood and Miss Caroline Travers, both of Gardner, Mass., will take place Feb. 10.

'14.—A daughter, Geraldine Sulton, was born June 20, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Snow of Avon, Mass.

Medic '15.—The engagement of Dr. Holland G. Hamilton of Ancon, Panama, to Miss Edith Steadman of Dorchester, Mass., was announced recently.

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## MORE BOWDOIN AMBULANCE DRIVERS

Bowdoin will send seven or eight more ambulance drivers to France during the next two months according to present plans. Stanley '18 and Edwards, Jr. '18 will sail Saturday, and next month it is probable that Daggett '18, J. P. Hamlin '18, J. B. Ham '19, W. F. Martin '19, and Houghton '20 will go across. Heaton '20 has left College planning to sail with the Maryland contingent in March. Manderson '18 returned last week after six months of ambulance driving, and may possibly return to the war zone.

## DEAN SILLS ON ANNAPOLIS BOARD

Dean Sils was appointed by President Wilson last week to the Board of Visitors to the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis. The other members of the board are six college presidents: Van Hise of the University of Wisconsin, Wheeler of the University of California, Alderman of the University of Virginia, MacLaurin of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Humphrey of Stevens Institute, and Dabney of the University of Cincinnati. The Dean has been in Washington this week and will return tomorrow.

## STRAIGHT "A" MEN

Noel Charlton Little '17.  
James Churchill Oliver '17.  
Donald Ward Philbrick '17.  
Forbes Rickard, Jr. '17.  
Joseph Walton Tuttle, Jr. '17.  
Oscar Lawrence Hamlin '18.  
Bela Winslow Norton '18.  
Myron Halburton Avery '20.

## DEAN ALBERS TO SPEAK ON LAW

Dean Homer Albers of the Boston University Law School will speak before the student body on "Business in Law," next Monday evening, in the Union. Dean Albers is one of the foremost barristers of New England, and the Christian Association has been most fortunate in securing him as the first of their speakers. He came into prominence as attorney for Thomas W. Lawson in his earlier financial operations. He receives one hundred dollars an hour for his university lecturing. This is a rare opportunity for those contemplating business or law.

## FRIAR'S CUP CONTEST

The Friar's Cup was won by Phi Theta Upsilon, with Beta Theta Pi second. Alpha Delta Phi, the present holder of the cup, was in tenth position. The detailed figures follow, and in the computation the usual basis of reckoning was employed, namely A equals 4, B equals 3, C equals 2, D equals 1 and E equals -.2.

FRATERNITY	AVERAGE GRADE
Phi Theta Upsilon .....	12.649
Beta Theta Pi .....	11.764
Delta Upsilon .....	11.189
Delta Kappa Epsilon .....	11.118
Theta Delta Chi .....	11.106
Beta Chi .....	10.966
Kappa Sigma .....	10.329
Bowdoin Club .....	10.050
Alpha Delta Phi .....	10.000
Psi Upsilon .....	9.666
Non-Fraternity .....	9.565
Zeta Psi .....	9.382
1917	
Phi Theta Upsilon .....	15.800
Non-Fraternity .....	15.429
Delta Kappa Epsilon .....	15.091
Bowdoin Club .....	15.000
Alpha Delta Phi .....	13.400
Beta Chi .....	13.333
Delta Upsilon .....	13.308
Beta Theta Pi .....	13.000
Kappa Sigma .....	13.000
Theta Delta Chi .....	12.800
Zeta Psi .....	11.750
Psi Upsilon .....	11.000
1918	
Phi Theta Upsilon .....	13.583
Beta Chi .....	12.900
Kappa Sigma .....	12.778
Non-Fraternity .....	12.750
Beta Theta Pi .....	12.143
Alpha Delta Phi .....	11.500
Delta Kappa Epsilon .....	11.500
Theta Delta Chi .....	10.714
Zeta Psi .....	10.571
Delta Upsilon .....	10.333
Psi Upsilon .....	9.000
Bowdoin Club .....	5.000
1919	

Theta Delta Chi .....	12.429
Delta Upsilon .....	12.000
Beta Theta Pi .....	11.111
Beta Chi .....	10.714
Alpha Delta Phi .....	10.375
Bowdoin Club .....	9.950
Phi Theta Upsilon .....	9.857
Kappa Sigma .....	9.692
Delta Kappa Epsilon .....	9.233
Psi Upsilon .....	8.667
Zeta Psi .....	8.625
Non-Fraternity .....	6.800

## 1920

Beta Theta Pi .....	10.611
Psi Upsilon .....	10.200
Bowdoin Club .....	10.125
Theta Delta Chi .....	10.036
Phi Theta Upsilon .....	9.750
Delta Kappa Epsilon .....	9.500
Beta Chi .....	8.222
Zeta Psi .....	7.455
Delta Upsilon .....	7.375
Alpha Delta Phi .....	7.364
Kappa Sigma .....	7.350
Non-Fraternity .....	7.156

## PROF. LANGLEY TO LEAVE NEXT YEAR

Professor Miles E. Langley expects to enter business next fall instead of continuing in college teaching. Professor Langley came to Bowdoin in the fall of 1914 as instructor in mathematics, and last year he was promoted to assistant professor of surveying and mechanical drawing and secretary of the Christian Association. During his stay at Bowdoin, he has been responsible for several progressive steps, including the Bowdoin Union and the activities centering around it, and the Rifle Club. Professor Langley is a graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in the class of 1913.

## A BIG WEEK END

The festivities connected with the Inter-scholastic Meet will start on Friday evening at 7:15 when the Hippodrome Company will stage a vaudeville show in Memorial Hall. Bowdoin's best and cleverest talent will cavort cleverly in the spotlight and before the amazed audience. Some real surprises will be seen on the boards 'tis said. Ann Pennington will dance the Hula Hula it is rumored, and Bert Williams has promised to evoke a few smiles.

Saturday afternoon will come the Meet and in the evening at 7:15 will occur the Smoker in Memorial Hall when the undergraduates will help their guests break training with smokes and various forms of nourishment. Some interesting

speakers will be heard, including a well known representative of the College. The musical clubs will hold forth gaily, and the trophy will be presented to the victorious team. The success of the entire affair depends upon the interest the students show by their attendance. Let's show the sub-freshmen a real time!

## FIRST RELAY DEFEAT IN FOUR YEARS

The University of Maine won the Maine college relay championship in the annual B.A.A. Indoor Track Meet in Boston last Saturday night by defeating the Bowdoin team in the final race with the sensational time of three minutes, eight and three-fifths seconds, a new record for the Maine relay championship. The previous record was three minutes, twelve and two-fifths seconds held by the Bowdoin team of 1915, composed of C. E. Wyman '18, C. A. Hall '16, E. M. Balfe '17 and C. H. Crosby '17, at the B.A.A. race Feb. 6, 1915.

In the trial relay races, Maine and Bowdoin won in easy style from their rivals, Bates and Colby, respectively, Maine by almost half a lap and Bowdoin by fully 20 yards.

Maine drew the pole in the final race against Bowdoin. French of Maine led Harris '20 by seven yards at the finish, but Cleaves '20 gained three yards on King of Maine. Simonton '18 lost five yards more to Donovan and Turner '19 two to Zeigler and the relay championship went to the University of Maine by ten yards in record time.

## Summary:

Bowdoin (C. R. Harris, R. E. Cleaves, W. W. Simonton, P. S. Turner) beat Colby (M. M. Wiseman, C. W. Lawrence, P. A. Thompson, H. S. Phillips). Time, 3m. 19.3-5s.

University of Maine (F. A. French, H. L. King, F. E. Donovan, C. M. Zeigler) beat Bates (S. M. Davis, C. A. Oberg, H. E. Taylor, W. F. Lawrence). Time, 3m. 17s.

University of Maine beat Bowdoin. Time, 3m. 83-5s.

This is the first time that a Bowdoin relay team has been defeated since Jack Magee took charge three years ago. Twice Bowdoin has won the state championship, and the times this year indicated great work on the part of the team.

## GEN. W. M. MCARTHUR '53 DEAD

Brigadier General William M. McArthur died at his home in Limington, Me., last Monday, Jan. 29.

After his graduation from Bowdoin he practised law until the outbreak of the Civil War. He then enlisted and was made captain of one of the

companies which he had been instrumental in recruiting. During the war he passed successively through the offices of major, lieutenant-colonel, colonel, and was finally mustered out in 1865, with the rank of brigadier-general.

Since the war Gen. McArthur has practised his profession in Limington till 1905, when he retired from active practise.

He has served in the Maine State Legislature, as representative in 1867, and as senator in 1869. He was also sent as a delegate to one of the Republican national conventions which nominated Gen. Grant to the presidency.

Thirty years ago Gen. McArthur attained nation-wide fame by drawing the capital prize of \$50,000 in the Louisiana state lottery.

#### REORGANIZATION OF M.I.A.A.

Following the withdrawing of Bates from the Maine Intercollegiate Athletic Association, the athletic heads of the four Maine colleges gathered at Waterville to consider a new plan. Instead of having the four undergraduate managers alone constitute the governing board, it was proposed to have a dual board with four faculty members from the colleges also. The alternative was a looser construction, with the annual track meet run in the manner of the football and baseball games. Bowdoin voted in favor of the former plan and Bates for the latter. The decisions of Maine and Colby are being awaited. Dr. Whittier is secretary of the reconstruction board.

#### TENNIS MANAGERS ELECT

Manager Norton of the tennis team attended the meeting of the four Maine college managers at Waterville Monday, and they decided that the annual tournament will be held at Lewiston under the auspices of Bates on May 24, 25, and 26. The officers elected were:

President, Frank J. Googins of Bates.

Vice-President, Bela W. Norton of Bowdoin.

Secretary, Hugh L. Robinson of Colby.

Treasurer, John P. Ramsay of Maine.

#### DEBATING RALLY

A rally of students interested in debating was held in connection with the final debate in English 5 last Tuesday evening in Memorial Hall.

The question: "Resolved, that the United States should inaugurate a league of nations to enforce peace," was awarded to the affirmative upheld by Bowdoin '17 and Coombs '18 by the decision of 2 to 1. The negative was upheld by Coburn '19 and Young '18.

Following the debate a short rally was held at which Moran '17 and Lane '17 spoke. Francis McKenney '15, instructor in the Portland High School, spoke on debating activity on his undergraduate days and these. Professor Davis presided. The usual refreshments were enjoyed during the evening.

#### ROLAND MARCY PECK SCHOLARSHIP

A scholarship fund of \$1000 with no restrictions has just come to the College from the estate of Anna Aurilla Peck of Wilbraham, Mass., and will be known as the Roland Marcy Peck Memorial. Mr. Peck graduated from Bowdoin in the Class of 1870 and died in 1891.

#### NEW IVES MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

A scholarship, known as the Howard Rollin Ives Memorial Scholarship, has just been received by the College. The amount of the fund is \$1605, and was raised by friends of the late H. R. Ives '98. Most of the contributors were Bowdoin men, but a few were not graduates of the College.

This is the first time, except where individual classes have given scholarships, that money has been given to Bowdoin in this way, and shows how Mr. Ives was regarded by those who knew him.

#### BAND PRACTICE

Promptly with the beginning of the second semester the band will commence rounding into shape for its spring work. The first rehearsal was held in Memorial Hall last evening. New men and music were tried out for the Indoor Interscholastic Meet which comes Saturday. New candidates for the band are desired, especially trombonists. Good inducements ought to bring out several players at this time as there will be a trip to Maine for the track meet in May. Men who wish to try out should give their names to C. E. Stevens '19, assistant manager, at once.

#### NEW PLAY BY KATE DOUGLAS WIGGIN

During the past week, "Mother Carey's Chickens," a new play by Kate Douglas Wiggin, who received the Litt.D. from Bowdoin in 1904, was presented for the first time at the Jefferson Theatre in Portland and was highly successful. Some of the faculty members were guests of the authoress during the week at the performances, and the student body was also represented. The play is to go on the road this week, Portland being favored with the first presentation.



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## Pay Your Blanket Tax

The Blanket Tax is due again and once more we ask of every man a prompt payment. Not until the tax is added to the term bill and collected by the college,—and we wish the change could be made at once,—will it be perfect. Under the present method of collection some few will

always escape payment of the tax who could afford it as well as the majority who pay honestly and on time, although it would seem as if the loss of all the rights and privileges of membership in the A.S.B.C. would be sufficient penalty to deter men from willfully evading payment. There is no longer any question of the advantages of the blanket tax, with its adaptation of budget principles of government to our student appropriations. A short talk with any alumnus who lived here under the old conditions where every manager's life was a hard struggle to get subscriptions enough to ensure his running expenses and where every student was continually being approached by new demands, to reject which was impossible save for the very poorest, will convince anyone that a return to those conditions is an impossibility. The Blanket Tax is a progressive measure, it is fair and just, and it is here to stay. Let us then support it wholeheartedly, for only by the coöperation of all can we make it the success it deserves to be.

## The Maine Ambulance

Efforts are being made to raise a Maine Ambulance Fund. Sixteen hundred dollars will provide and maintain for a year one ambulance in the field service in France. The saving of lives which has been made possible by this ambulance service is a matter of record and a slight tribute to the friendship of America and France. Maine has already given men to drive these ambulances, as well as surgeons and actual soldiers, and it is now fitting that she should provide a number of ambulances as a sign of her sympathy for the French in their suffering. We welcome this opportunity to give the plan publicity and to recommend it to willing givers throughout the state, especially as Bowdoin men are the founders of the movement and Dean Sills is treasurer of the fund, and we gladly invite the other colleges in the state and their alumni and friends to participate in it.

## THE JANUARY QUILL

The current issue of the *Quill* is a credit to the new editors and to the College. The contributions are worthy, particularly those from present and former members of the Board. The editing, if not impeccable, is good. The attitude expressed in the "Foreword" is promising. The friends of the enterprise may again relax anxiety concerning its welfare.

"Tin Cans and Dreams" is especially welcome as representing one of those "phases of human

nature which the writers have actually witnessed" so commendably sought by the Editors. The attempt to interpret, to depict one's home land, with sympathy and enthusiasm yet without exaggeration or excess of sentiment, is characteristic of the best in modern literature. What a pity that, apparently, one must be far away from home to do it well!

The title of this particular essay, reflecting evidently the objective suggestion for it, seems hardly justified by the context. We hear too little of the tin cans. Buried in the middle of the second paragraph—perhaps from a desire to preserve them from annihilation for another sixty years—they are not convincing. Their effect as a symbol would be tenfold greater if early in the essay one such heap of "rusty tin cans, ugly and trivial" were concretely pictured to us, and if (incidentally, merely) their authenticity as relics of the 'forty-niners, rather than of some jovial camping-party within a decade, were established.

Concerning "Pedants" one is inclined to echo the remark of a friend of the *Quill*—"What would the writer have us do?" One answer seems to be that the composition, like most lyrics, expresses not the last word, the ultimate truth, but a mood. It is poetry, not polity nor pedagogy. Another answer surely is that within the past few months our community has exhibited toward affairs outside its own a culpable indifference,—an indifference now happily diminished.

As an experiment in the Poe-esque—quite the contrary, be it observed, of those "actual phases of human nature" desired by the *Quill*—"The Carved Serpents" is commendable. The effectiveness of the tricks of style employed to create an alien atmosphere is particularly noteworthy. The natural explanation of the experience is perhaps just clear enough for a mystery-story.

Of the two translations, that from "The Cid" is smooth, dignified, appropriate in diction and in melody to the thoughts conveyed. That from Horace is less pleasing. The sentence relating to the "mighty gods" is inexcusably crude. The translator's handling of blank verse, however, promises well for future and better-matured attempts.

"A Song," notwithstanding its unconventional organization and arrangement, is tuneful and not unpleasantly vague. It would probably be improved by having a title more indicative of its sentiment, and by a more harmonious and metrical final sentence.

I have commended the editing—as for a first

issue. It is surely in point for a sympathetic critic to say that the principles underlying syllabification should be observed more carefully by the proof-reader; that hesitation between different possible marks of punctuation should never, as apparently in "Pedants," lead to the omission of necessary marks; and that typographical errors such as are contained in the translation from Horace are like slings and arrows to a conscientious and helpless contributor.

Much might be said, apropos of the "Foreword," concerning the function of the alumni and of the faculty with regard to the *Quill*. Disregarding this attractive theme, I shall consider only its appeal to the students for contributions. Is the *Quill* depending wholly upon Forewords and stated aims as a means of soliciting contributions? When we think that a neighbor or a brother of ours is neglecting some golden opportunity, we do not post a notice or submit a marked advertisement for his perusal; we find opportunity to call his attention to the matter in some more brotherly or neighborly way. In the big non-homogeneous world of actual things, of bonds and breakfast foods, and in the reduced facsimile of that world found in a large university, advertisements and notices must be depended upon. It is the great distinction of a college like Bowdoin, at least so long as our numbers are not fearfully augmented, that it can employ family and neighborhood methods. The new *Quill* Board will be guilty of aping commercialism and universityism if it does not supplement its formal "Foreword" by personal, friendly, search, encouragement, and appeal.

W. H. D.

#### PORTLAND ALUMNI BANQUET

About 140 enthusiastic graduates attended the 47th annual meeting and banquet of the Bowdoin Alumni Association of Portland and vicinity on Saturday evening, January 27, at the Hotel Falmouth. The speakers of the evening were President Hyde, ex-Governor William S. Cobb, Arthur G. Staples, Dr. John F. Thompson and Sherman N. Shumway '17.

In the business meeting of the association prior to the banquet, Charles H. Gilman was re-elected president, Eben W. Freeman re-elected vice-president, and Harrison C. Chapman elected secretary-treasurer. The nominating committee elected was John H. Pierce, George C. Wheeler, Carl W. Smith, and the dinner committee, Clifford L. Russell, Edward R. Elwell and Philip L. Card. Greetings were sent through the secretary to Judge William L. Putnam, a prominent mem-

ber of the association who is seriously ill. The committee in charge of the banquet for that evening was Robert W. Pennell and Clifford L. Russell.

After the dinner, the alumni sang Phi Chi and marched around the room.

President Hyde was the principal speaker of the evening and as he arose the entire body sprang up to salute him. He opened by speaking in the highest terms of Judge Putnam, and of the memory of the late Howard R. Ives, and the generosity of Dr. Thomas U. Coe and Franklin C. Payson in making the new infirmary possible. Bowdoin is well in the front, President Hyde said, in response to the need of the men in the ambulance corps in France.

He said that the chief need of the College at present is a new dormitory and he hoped that the new student loan fund, taken hold of by the Portland alumni, would increase and become a distinct success. The Bowdoin faculty came in for a great amount of praise, not only for their relations with the students, but also for their active relations in the political and business life. He remarked that at present the faculty is an all-professor faculty with but one instructor and that the curriculum of courses has been strengthened and augmented in accordance with the pressure of the times. Bowdoin's success has not been narrowed to one particular line but is alike noteworthy in debating and athletics. The fraternity spirit has worked out perfectly with the new Union as a democratic meeting-place for all. The greatest advance, however, has been the addition of the study of government to the curriculum placed responsibly upon us by the European warfare.

Arthur G. Staples of Lewiston spoke for the alumni of Lewiston and vicinity and told of the growing love for Bowdoin each year.

Dr. John F. Thompson of Dartmouth spoke of his memories of Bowdoin as a schoolboy and closed with a poetic toast to Bowdoin and Dartmouth.

Governor Cobb made a brilliant speech and was applauded long and loudly. He complimented Bowdoin upon being a big little college, small in size but big in ideals. His address was full of Bowdoin vim and spirit and was warmly received by the banqueters.

The last speaker of the evening was Shumway '17, who chiefly explained the purpose of the compulsory athletic training for Freshmen. "Let other colleges continue their methods of getting athletes" said Shumway, "Bowdoin will develop her athletes after they come to college."

## BOSTON ALUMNI BANQUET

The annual reunion of the Bowdoin Alumni of Boston was held in Young's Hotel, Thursday evening, January 25, with over 200 in attendance.

The toastmaster of the evening was President Samuel V. Cole, also president of Wheaton College. The other speakers were President Hyde, Governor McCall, Judge Clarence Hale of the United States Circuit Court and Dr. Hugh Cabot.

President Hyde's address dwelt chiefly on the present-day activity of Bowdoin College and its graduates. He called particular attention to the interest and intimacy with outside affairs maintained by the members of the faculty, enumerating their various accomplishments. He described briefly the new \$40,000 infirmary. The regular endowment fund is \$2,400,000 and the alumni loan fund, recently established, \$1500 which President Hyde soon hopes to see \$10,000. Of the 432 students, two hundred are at least partly working their way through College. Speaking of athletics, President Hyde commented upon the adoption and success of the Harvard football system and the Freshmen compulsory athletic system, soon to be established.

Governor McCall, introduced as an ex-member of the Bowdoin faculty, spoke of the peculiar sense of pride which Massachusetts held for Bowdoin College. He also told of the many famous Bowdoin alumni whom he had known intimately such as "Tom" Reed, U. S. Senator Frye, and U. S. Chief Justice Fuller.

Judge Hale recounted principally some of the early history of the College and the famous Bowdoin family.

Dr. Hugh Cabot's closing address was almost entirely about the present war and how England had built up her present army under the most trying conditions.

## NEW YORK ALUMNI BANQUET

The 48th annual meeting and dinner of the New York Bowdoin College Alumni Association was held at the Holland House, Friday evening, January 26th, 1917. Over 100 Bowdoin men were in attendance.

Harrison K. McCann '02, presided. The principal speakers were Professor Wilmot B. Mitchell '90, representing the College; Honorable John A. Peters '85, Representative in Congress from Maine; Dr. Fred H. Albee '99, inventor of the famous bone graft operation, who has just returned from France, where he has been demonstrating his new operation to French army surgeons; ex-Congressman Honorable D. S. Alexander '70, of Buffalo; ex-Governor of New

Hampshire, Honorable Henry B. Quincy '69.

Professor Mitchell represented the College and told of the splendid progress that Bowdoin has been making in the last few years.

Dr. Albee, who has been in France as a guest of the French Government, demonstrating his new surgical operations, gave a most interesting talk on his experiences in the French Army. His talk was illustrated by moving pictures of French hospital and other war scenes.

Romilly Johnson '06, who has been singing in grand opera in Italy, was present at the dinner and sang several selections.

#### PHILADELPHIA ALUMNI BANQUET

The Bowdoin Alumni of Philadelphia held their annual business meeting and banquet Thursday evening, Jan. 2, at Kugler's Restaurant. Mr. Myrton A. Bryant '04, the retiring secretary, reported that twenty members were present—a remarkably good showing considering the small membership of the Quaker City alumni association.

"Although there were no set speeches," said Mr. Bryant, "we have a most interesting and instructive discussion of several proposals of the Alumni Council. Everyone took a turn at the discussion. Bowdoin songs were sung, and the good old days were lived again. In fact we had a fine informal evening."

Professor Mitchell was expected to represent President Hyde at the meeting, but owing to a misunderstanding he was unable to attend. The officers for the coming year as elected are: President, Frederick L. Smith '86; Secretary, John W. Leydon '07.

#### AS OTHERS SEE US

Psychologists will discuss for many a day just why Tufts lost the Bowdoin and Harvard games, each by a one-run margin, and with the latter contest going eleven innings. The defeat by Bowdoin was surprising but clear-cut. The Maine boys were not in our class; but they caught our team asleep after the revelries of the Junior Promenade the night before, and took a game that spoiled a phenomenal run of victories. Whatever the Bowdoin boys may do in other games, they always play Tufts with wonderful spirit and determination, as old-time athletes on College Hill can testify. This bitter defeat will also increase the respect of the present generation for the little college in Maine, rivalry with which can still furnish an occasional thrill and sense of fear.

—From *The Tufts College Graduate*.

## With the Faculty

President Hyde's speech at Boston was the subject of an editorial in the Boston Herald of last Tuesday on the extra-curriculum activities of the Bowdoin faculty.

Professor Files addressed the Highway Meeting Thursday evening in the House Chamber at Augusta on the subject of good roads.

Professors Evans and Langley attended the B.A.A. meet at Boston.

Mr. MacCormick was at Washington making a report on his recent visit to the Naval Prison at Portsmouth.

## On the Campus

R. B. MacMullin *ex-18* was on the campus last week.

Over two hundred chapel warnings for the first semester were issued Saturday.

This week a members re-entry match will be held by the Rifle Club. For particulars inquire Johnson '18 or Schlosberg '18.

Raymond H. Larrabee '16, who has been teaching in a private school in Virginia this year, was on the campus during examinations.

Lord '16 was on the campus last week.

Frederic E. Cruff '16, who is attending Harvard Medical School was on the campus over the week end.

F. B. Slocum '12 is working as special assistant in the Library for the rest of the year. He intends taking up the Library profession and will enter the New York State Library School at Albany next fall. His purpose now is to get some practical experience.

Mr. Hamilton Holt, one of the prime movers of the League to Enforce Peace, will speak on that subject on Monday, February 26th, at 3:30 P. M. in Memorial Hall. Mr. Holt will be remembered for the fine address on the same subject which he made here two or three years ago.

Authorities of the Widner Library at Harvard are complaining that books are being borrowed constantly without being charged up. The Bowdoin Library is not entirely free from this practice, for many books, particularly reserve books, are being taken out constantly against the rules of the Library and the result has been that other students have to suffer.

#### RESOLUTIONS

HALL OF THE ALPHA RHO, CHAPTER OF  
KAPPA SIGMA

Whereas: The Supreme Grand Master of the



Universe, in His Infinite Wisdom, has seen fit to take from us our beloved Brother, Richard Bryant Dole of the Class of 1902, therefore be it

Resolved: That we, the Alpha Rho Chapter of the Kappa Sigma Fraternity do, hereby, express our great regret and sorrow at our loss which will be felt throughout our lives; and be it further

Resolved: That we, the members of his fraternity, cause copies of these resolutions to be inscribed on the books of the fraternity, in the Bowdoin Orient, and a copy to be sent to the family of our deceased Brother.

J. C. OLIVER,

F. J. CORBETT,

H. L. HARRINGTON,

*For the Chapter.*

### CALENDAR

THURSDAY, FEB. 8.

8 P. M. Classical Club meets with Professor Woodruff.

FRIDAY, FEB. 9.

7.15 P. M. Vaudeville, Memorial Hall.

SATURDAY, FEB. 10.

2 P. M. Annual interscholastic indoor meet.

7.15 P. M. Smoker, Memorial Hall.

MONDAY, FEB. 12.

7.30 P. M. Dean Albers on "Law," Union.

FRIDAY, FEB. 16.

Delta Kappa Epsilon house party.

SATURDAY, FEB. 17.

6.30 P. M. Sophomore hop.

### Alumni Notes

'55—"Leavening the Levant" is the title of a new book by Joseph K. Greene. Not only is this work interesting and authoritative, because of Dr. Greene's thorough knowledge of the country he is writing about, but the fact that he is giving the entire proceeds of the sales to Armenian relief adds to the value of the book.

'57.—In the January number of the Bibliotheca Sacra is an article by Albert H. Currier.

'62.—On the cover of the most recent issue of the Congregationalist is a picture of Daniel W. Waldron.

'76.—Alvah Horton Sabin, Physics and Chemistry expert and lecturer at New York University since 1897, has recently published a book on "The Technology of Paint and Varnish."

'90.—Hon. Fred J. Allen, one of the best known lawyers of the state, died at his residence in Sanford, February 2. Mr. Allen was born in Alfred, July 27, 1865. He prepared for Bowdoin at the Nichols Latin School, Lewiston. He en-

tered Bowdoin in 1886, graduating in 1890. He was admitted to the York County bar in May, 1893. In the fall he opened an office in Sanford and has been located there since.

In September, 1900, Mr. Allen became a representative to the Maine Legislature. In 1903 he was given the chairmanship of the judiciary committee at the Legislature. In 1905 he was elected senator from York County. The following year he was president of the Senate.

Mr. Allen was a K. of P., a Mason, and a Shriner. He was once president of the Maine Bar Association.

'90.—Compensation Commissioner George B. Chandler was recently elected president of the Automobile Club of Hartford, Conn.

'91.—The published proceedings of the Third Annual Meeting of the New Jersey Mosquito Extermination Association of the State of New Jersey contains a paper on "The Progress of the Mosquito Control Work in New Jersey" by Dr. R. H. Hunt.

'96.—John C. Minot spoke before the Maine Press Association Thursday night, Jan. 18, at Portland.

'07.—The firm of Burlington, Montgomery & Beecher of New York announces that Roscoe H. Hupper has become a member of the firm.

'07.—Dwight S. Robinson is to be transferred from the Barksdale plant of the DuPont Powder Co., to the Louviers plant where he will be superintendent. The transfer will come into effect March 1st. His new address will be Louviers, Douglas County, Col.

'08.—Blodgett, Jones, Burnham & Burnham of 60 Federal Street, Boston, have announced that Albert T. Gould has become a member of the firm.

'09.—The announcement of the engagement of Dr. John A. Wentworth of Portland, Me., to Miss Ruth C. Webb of Mystic, Conn., has recently been noted. The bride is a graduate of the Hartford Hospital Training School for Nurses. Dr. Wentworth graduated from Harvard Medical School in 1913.

'10.—E. H. Webster has just published a book on "Business English."

EX-'11.—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. William E. Noyes on January 20.

'12.—George E. Woodman is pastor of the Congregational Church in West Boylston, Mass., and is doing excellent work there.

'13.—Douglas H. McMurtrie has recently been made superintendent of the Berlin Mill Co.'s chemical plant at La Tuque, Quebec, Canada. He began there on July 1, 1916, as a laboratory chemist. The superintendent was transferred and

McMurtrie was promoted to take full charge.

After graduating from Bowdoin McMurtrie spent two years studying chemical engineering at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

'14.—F. X. Callahan has recently returned from the border. He was stationed at Douglas, Ariz., with Battery A of East Orange, N. J.

'13.—Sumner T. Pike has changed from the Savannah Electric Co., of Savannah, Ga., to the Lowell Electric Light Corp., of Lowell, Mass. He is to be the chief clerk in his new position.

'14.—R. E. Simpson is studying for the Episcopal priesthood at West Park, N. Y.

'14.—P. L. White is studying law at the Indiana Law School, Indianapolis, Ind.

'14.—H. W. Ashby is taking courses at the Boston University.

'14.—W. E. Mason, Jr., is engaged in farming at Walnut Grove, Middletown, Conn.

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## OFFICERS TRAINING CORPS PROPOSED

As a result of the renewed possibility of war with the events of the past two weeks, the matter of military training at Bowdoin has been considered anew, and the Faculty has appointed a committee to consider the establishing of an officers training corps, based somewhat on the system at Harvard. President Hyde has been in communication with the War Department concerning the possibility of establishing such an organization, and the committee composed of Professor Bell, Professor Nixon, and Professor Langley have also been investigating the conditions and possibilities. It is probable that the coming weeks will see the beginning of some military organization at Bowdoin.

A year ago, there was an agitation for a company of the national guard, preferably Coast Artillery, at Bowdoin, and there was a rally in the Union at which considerable interest was aroused. At Commencement, however, the Trustees voted that such a company would not be permitted, and it will be necessary to establish a company of a more independent organization on account of this action.

Rifles may be used in the drill classes in gymnasium, in addition to the infantry evolutions which are being given at present. Dr. Whittier has been in communication with the War Department, relative to the securing of 200 rifles for use in drill, and there is a good probability that they will be secured. With these, the drilling could be carried on more extensively. In case of necessity, the Hyde Athletic Building could be used as an indoor drill ground, though the drilling for the present will continue in the gymnasium.

## NEW DORMITORY LIKELY

Bowdoin may have a new dormitory next fall, for several prominent graduates have undertaken a campaign for funds among the alumni. If this meets with the anticipated response it is probable that the new building will be ready next fall. A new dormitory would be a most valuable addition to Bowdoin's equipment, and the cause is one which will certainly appeal to the alumni. There are at present 85 students who are room-

ing neither in dormitories nor in fraternity houses. The new dormitory would probably be located south of Appleton Hall.

## HEBRON AGAIN WINS MEET

The annual interscholastic indoor meet was again won by Hebron, Saturday afternoon. Although there was not the keen competition of last year, the meet was fast. Two records broken and one equalled. In the 40 yard dash, Hayes of St. Johns equalled the world's schoolboy record of 4.2-5 seconds, held by Weybrant of Brunswick. In the preliminaries of the 440 yard dash, Allen of St. Johns easily won and set up a new record, but in the finals he was fouled by Redmond of Hebron, and Andrews, another Hebron man, finished first. As a result of this intentional fouling, Redman was disqualified.

No new records were established in the half-mile event. Dondero of Hebron finished first, about four seconds behind the record set up by Gorton last year. In the semi-finals of the high hurdles there was an especially fast aggregation and consequently, when Emery knicked over one hurdle, he lost out to Worthington of Hebron, who later won the finals in 63-5 seconds.

"Cuddy" Murphy of Hebron failed to break Allan's record in the shot put and only succeeded in bettering Emery's throw by a fraction of an inch. Chase, a veteran team-mate of Murphy's won the high jump when he clipped the bar at 5 feet 5 inches.

The third record to go was that set up in the running broad jump by Pellitier last year at 20 feet 43-5 inches, when Hayes, also of St. Johns, jumped 21 feet 8-2-5 inches.

On the whole the relay races were not very closely contested. Probably the most interesting was the race between Cony and Gardiner, which was won by the latter, and the relay race in which Hebron won from M. C. I. Pullen of Bangor and Conrod of Deering High tied for first place in the pole vault, their mark was 10 feet flat. The only accident which occurred during the entire meet, was when Dunbar of Hebron injured his shoulder during the pole vault.



The special one mile relay between the two Bowdoin varsity teams was a fairly close one and fast time was made. Noyes, Pierce, Simonton and Cleaves defeated Wyman, Harris, McCarthy and Turner in 3 min. 15 3-5 sec. The meet ran smoothly under Manager Walker and his assistants. B. A. Osthus of Boston was clerk of course and Jack Magee starter.

#### Summary:

40 yard dash won by Hayes of St. John; second, Klatt of St. John; third, Emery of M.C.I. Time, 4-2-5 seconds. (Equals record held by Weybrant of Brunswick High and equals world's record.)

45 Yard High Hurdles (Finals)—Won by Worthington of Hebron; second, Dunbar of Hebron; third, Davis of Portland. Time, 63-5 seconds.

220 Yard Dash (Final)—Won by Haskell of Hebron; second, Litchfield of Brunswick; third, G. Murphy of Hebron. Time, 26 seconds.

440 Yard Dash (Final)—Won by Andrews of Hebron; second, Jellison of Maine Central Institute; third, A. Redmond of Hebron. Time, 59 3-5 seconds.

880 Yard Dash—Won by Dondero of Hebron; second, Leclair of Hebron; third, Lovell of Brunswick. Time, 2 minutes 15 seconds.

#### FIELD EVENTS

Broad Jump—Won by Hayes of St. John, distance 21 feet 8 2-5 inches; second, Legendre of Lewiston, distance 20 feet 8 2-5 inches; third, Klatt of St. John, distance 20 feet 2 inches.

Running High Jump—Won by Chase of Hebron, height 5 feet 5 inches; second, tie between Caird of Hebron and Legendre of Lewiston. Height 5 feet 4 inches.

Shot Put (12 pounds)—Won by J. Murphy of Hebron, distance 48 feet 2 1/2 inches; second, Emery of M.C.I., distance 48 feet 1 3/4 inches. Third, Andrews of Hebron, distance 43 feet 4 1/4 inches.

Pole Vault—Tie for first place between Pullen of Bangor High and Conrod of Deering, height 10 feet. Third, tie between Caldwell of Deering and Chase of Hebron, height 9 feet 6 inches.

#### RELAY RACES

Brunswick (Litchfield, Pollay, Ring, Lovell) defeated Lincoln Academy (Homage, Van Horn, Merrill, Morey). Time, 1 minute, 51 4-15 seconds.

Lisbon Falls (Houston, Dennison, Hodgkins, White) defeated Freeport (Davis, Bean, Fish, Hunter). Time, 1 minute, 54 4-5 seconds.

Hebron (G. Davis, Davis, Worthington, Haskell) defeated M.C.I. (Tierney, Houston, La-

roque, Emery). Time, 1 minute, 48 1-5 seconds.

Lewiston (Matthews, Reny, Murphy, Flynn) defeated Edward Little (L. Watson, R. Watson, McBurnie, Grove). Time, 1 minute, 49 3-15

St. Johns Prep. (Gagnon, Klatt, Hayes, Allen) defeated Leavitt Institute (Ricker, Boothby, Parsons, Wilson). Time, 1 minute, 50 seconds.

Portland (Walsh, Morse, Cushing, Nash) defeated Bangor (Costello, Driscoll, Rand, Travers). Time, 1 minute, 49 2-5 seconds.

Deering (Rumery, Caldwell, Conrod, Johnson) defeated Morse (Holbrook, Bowker, Jewett, Coss). Time, 1 minute, 51 3-5 seconds.

Kents Hill (Lucier, Laundry, Hersum Pinkham) defeated Madison (Weston, Humphreys, Capp, Daggett) Biddeford (Bergeron, Murphy, Jancas, Howard). Time, 1 minute, 52 2-5 seconds.

#### THE DEAN RETURNS FROM WASHINGTON

Dean Sills returned last Thursday from a visit to Washington, where on Monday night, he attended a dinner given by Secretary Daniels and his wife in honor of President and Mrs. Wilson. Dean Sills had the honor of a seat next to the President at the dinner. On Tuesday he represented the College at the annual dinner of the Washington Alumni Association. While in the Capitol the Dean had an interview with the Secretary of the Navy regarding his appointment on the Annapolis examining board. He saw Assistant Secretary of War Ingraham in his office and talked with him regarding what the College should do in case this country takes active part in the war. Mr. Ingraham said he would be glad to see Bowdoin form a battalion similar to the Harvard Regiment. Dean Sills also had an interview with Secretary McAdoo who expressed great interest in Bowdoin. Secretary Daniels is also enthusiastic over Bowdoin and hopes to pay the college a visit some time.

#### GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED

The Graduate Scholarships were awarded by the faculty at their meeting last Tuesday.

The Charles Carroll Everett Scholarship was awarded to Noel Charlton Little '17. This scholarship provides for a year's graduate study either at home or abroad, for the member of the graduating class who is deemed best fitted for the work. Little will specialize in mathematics at Harvard.

To Forbes Rickard, Jr. '17, was awarded the Henry W. Longfellow Scholarship of graduate work in English. In addition to these a special scholarship in Social Hygiene, which was given

to the College by an anonymous donor, was awarded to Leroy Addison Ramsdell '17.

### FINE SOPHOMORE HOP PROMISED

What presages to be one of the biggest and best hops that the last three Sophomore classes have been able to produce will take place Saturday at the Gymnasium. The committee reports that all plans have been made and with nothing up to date left out, the social lion will find himself in his element. Lovell's Orchestra, including the popular saxophone, will play for an order of 22 dances. Owing to the early closing hour the dance will start promptly at six o'clock and last until twelve. If possible an extra dance will be squeezed in the order. The following is the order of dances:

- 1 One Step—On the Shore of Le Lei Wei
- 2 Fox Trot—Have a Heart
- 3 Waltz—Her Sailor Boy
- 4 One Step—My Skating Girl
- 5 Fox Trot—Just at Twilight
- 6 One Step—Hello, I've Been Looking for You
- 7 Fox Trot—Poor Butterfly
- 8 Waltz—Garden of Romance
- 9 One Step—Bachelor Days
- 10 Fox Trot—I'll Be Happy Anywhere With You
- 11 One Step—Throw Me a Rose

### INTERMISSION

- 12 Fox Trot—Pretty Baby
- 13 One Step—Do, Do, Do What Your Mother Did
- 14 Fox Trot—Mamy's Little Coal Black Rose
- 15 Waltz—If I Knock the L Out of Kelly
- 16 Fox Trot—Maggy Dooley
- 17 Fox Trot—Sometime
- 18 1919 Medley
- 19 One Step—Any Old Name is a Wonderful Name
- 20 Fox Trot—Eyes Have Language All Their Own
- 21 One Step—Welcome to Your Old Plantation Home
- 22 Fox Trot—Down Where the Swanee River Flows

The patronesses will be Mrs. Henry Johnson, Mrs. William A. Moody, Mrs. Roscoe J. Ham, Mrs. Charles C. Hutchins, Mrs. Frank E. Woodruff, Mrs. Frank N. Whittier, Mrs. Charles T. Burnett, Mrs. Wilmot B. Mitchell, Mrs. William H. Davis, Mrs. Paul Nixon and Mrs. Lee D. McClean.

The committee in charge of the hop consists of Savage, chairman, Grover, MacDonald, Paul

and Smethurst. Given of Brunswick will cater. Dance orders may be bought of the chairman Wednesday or Thursday. The charge is three dollars.

### THE COLLEGE HYMN

Sunday evening, at chapel vespers, the "College Hymn" was sung for the first time this year. This traditional and venerable hymn has been sung by Bowdoin's sons for many generations. It has always been sung at the Commencement dinner, where, as many will remember, it used to be led by the late Professor Chapman; also at the alumni gatherings and at the baccalaureate services. All four verses are usually sung that the sentiment and true meaning of the hymn might not be mutilated. And as Dr. Hyde said, "We should always stand when we sing it."

The traditional tune is not the one given on page 65 of the hymnal, but the one on the page which has been inserted on the inside of the back cover of the hymnal.

Professor Wass has made this possible that the men singing the various parts may have the music.

### BRADBURY DEBATING TEAMS PICKED

The awarding of the Bradbury Debating Prizes for the year and the choice of representatives of the College in the intercollegiate contests with Hamilton and Wesleyan will be made in connection with the following debates, on the question: "Resolved, that the United States could better protect the western hemisphere by an understanding with Great Britain than the policy known as the Monroe Doctrine."

Friday, February 23, 3.30 P. M.:

Affirmative: Bowdoin '17, Chadbourne '19, Coburn '19.

Negative: Moran '17, Young '18, Paul '19.

Friday, February 23, 7.30 P. M.:

Affirmative: Coombs '18, Foulke '19, Gardner '19.

Negative: Badger '20, Jacob '17, Lane '17.

Alternates:

Affirmative: Greene '19.

Negative: Taylor '20.

### MUSIC FOR SUNDAY VESPERS

Prelude, Soprano Melody ..... Steane  
 Gloria Patri ..... Greatorix  
 Hymn  
 Anthem, The Lord of Hosts Is With Us Klein  
 Postlude, Fantasia ..... Swift

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## The Rallies

The two rallies last week, in connection with the Interscholastic Meet, were above the average in quality and enthusiasm, and we are glad to say a word of praise for the work of the Student Council and its Rally Committee in planning and conducting so successfully the program for the evenings. The vaudeville show Friday, revealed considerable talent, and, although one or two acts weren't quite as successful as others, on the whole they were worthy of any such occasion.

The list of speakers Saturday was short and those selected were the best the College has, while the rally was conducted with a snap which added much to its success. Moreover the student body seemed to show much greater interest than formerly, the attendance Friday night being such as to tax the capacity of Memorial Hall to the utmost. We congratulate all those in charge for their excellent work and only hope for a repetition of their success on future occasions.

## The Hop

We hear reports from the committee in charge of the Sophomore Hop that its success and their financial soundness are endangered by a lack of interest by the class and College in this big mid-winter dance. Perhaps the College has had too much of dancing, and we are not sure that it would be a good sign, but the Sophomore class has voted to hold a dance at this time and the College generally has come to expect it. It is then necessary that the entire class should wake up and take an interest in their class events. Many who are not planning to attend could do so as well as not and they should have enough spirit to oppose a project they don't believe in before it is started or else to support it whole-heartedly when once under way. Get together with your committee and carry this through to success.

## COLLEGE MEN FOR UNIVERSAL TRAINING

Fifteen students, representing the University of Pennsylvania, Princeton, Lehigh, Georgetown and George Washington University, appeared before the Senate Military Affairs Committee, this afternoon. They told the senators that the vast majority of their student bodies favored universal military training. They resented, strongly, the representations of student pacifists that the college man of America is opposed to universal military training.

Many of the students had served at one or more of the Plattsburg training camps and at least one had seen five months actual service on the border.

Princeton reported that its student body favored universal training by a vote of 503 to 92, and, last summer, had 264 men at Plattsburg. Pennsylvania delegates said 1,450 of their men, a big majority of the undergraduates, favored universal military training.

Dr. Henry S. Drinker, chairman of the Military Training Camps Assn., and president of Lehigh University, introduced delegates from that institution, who read a resolution adopted by the student body heartily endorsing the move-

ment for national preparedness and universal military training.

Dr. Drinker emphasized the point that the interest of students in military training was not the result of hysteria caused by the European War, as students camps had been held two summers, prior to the outbreak of war.

Yale had a large delegation before the committee, and Harvard, which has sent more than a thousand students to Plattsburg, voiced the enthusiastic sentiment of the Harvard men in favor of universal military training.

#### THE WEEK END COMMENCEMENT

A committee of the Alumni Council is considering a plan by which Commencement, instead of being held on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday as at present, will take place at the end of the week. Although this may seem radical, there would seem to be definite advantages from making such a change, which after all is only recognizing the change in business conditions which has taken place in recent years, for it is well known that in summer months the "business week" is really a short one. For a man to be away on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday means a loss of practically a week, whereas, an absence for a week-end may not seriously interfere with his work. This would seem especially true in the case of younger graduates, where to attend Commencement means taking a week off, which in many cases is either impossible or else obliges the graduate to take a week of his vacation at this time. Then again, the automobile figures here; for it has been suggested that to have Commencement towards the end of the week would give a chance for automobile parties to come to Brunswick for over the end of the week which is not so convenient on the present schedule. Two plans so far have been suggested for the new arrangement: one to have Class Day on Friday, to have the program on Saturday which now comes on Wednesday, Baccalaureate sermon on Sunday, and Commencement Day on Monday. Another suggestion is to have the events of Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday put on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, with no formal events on Sunday. It has been suggested that under this arrangement a varsity base ball game could be scheduled for Saturday, which would increase the interest. The Council feels that this is an important change, and is one on which it would welcome discussion. No formal action has been taken as yet, although the Council has discussed it informally and without taking definite action does not recognize the advantages

of trying such a plan. It has been suggested that if the alumni approve of this innovation, it will be recommended to the Boards at next Commencement to be adopted in 1918. This idea has been tried at Wesleyan with marked success and much increase in attendance. The Alumni Council earnestly hopes that you will talk this matter over. The Chairman of the Committee is Donald F. Snow, Bangor, Maine.

#### VAUDEVILLE SHOW CLEVEREST YET

The promises of the press agent were gloriously fulfilled Friday evening when the College began the entertainment of its visiting sub-freshmen with a vaudeville show in Memorial Hall. Truly, indeed, did Bowdoin's best and cleverest talent cavort cleverly in the spotlight and before the amazed audience. "Ann Pennington" was there with the goods with her sister, too; and so two danced the Hula Hula, instead of only one, as promised.

It was difficult to realize that "Andy the Great," that "gymnast extraordinary and without a parallel" could be the unique and original "Andy" who daily puts the boys through paces extraordinary, both with and without parallels.

"The Beet Oven Quartet," Harrington '18, Joyce '18, Hill '19 and Richan '20, pleased the boys; "Vernon and Irene," alias Ross '17 and Leighton '19, taught the sub-freshmen something of the art at which Bowdoin men are supposed to be proficient; "What is it" by Peacock '18 and Hall '20, kept them guessing; Ross '17 as "Rosso the Impersonator," showed his well-nigh legerdemaniac power by successfully appearing as several prominent faculty members. "Hercules and Corn Cob," Fenning '17 and R. H. Cobb '17, were immense; Billy Sunday, wearing the clothes and visage of Maguire '17, carried on a one-sermon campaign in Brunswick. And then—J. W. Thomas '18 and Edwards '19 put on one of the best acts of the evening as "Mosaic and Carrowso." They sang the latest popular songs, reproduced with a striking result a selection by the College band, gave a happy imitation of Graveure and Eleanor Painter, and cleverly hit on the difference between cabaret music today and ten years ago. Savage '18 as "Bud" Fisher drew some clever pictures; "The Hawaiian Twins," Thomas '18 and Sullivan '20, danced the latest Hula-Hula; Blanchard '17, "The Bearded Prophet," told of some startling events to come; and for the last act, Fenning '17 and Sullivan '20 "Followed the White."

Crosby '17 was the official stage manager.



### SMOKER FOR SUB-FRESHMEN

Saturday evening in Memorial Hall, the visiting sub-freshmen, just before their departure, were cheered by an informal smoker. College men and college men-to-be united in breaking training with smokes, apples and ice cream cones. President Hyde was the first speaker. He told of Bowdoin's pride in her equipment, faculty, and student body, and of her high standards. He concluded by saying that no man, whoever he is, is ever offered any inducement to come to Bowdoin.

Professor Bell spoke interestingly in a somewhat humorous vein.

Hebron was given the winner's trophy for the fifth successive year; it is now hers permanently.

Announcement that Dexter High had won the Abraxas Cup was made during the evening.

Jack Magee was presented a loving cup as a token of personal regard and as an appreciation of faithful work done as track coach through four years. Jack was overcome with surprise but made a graceful speech of acceptance. The evening closed with Bowdoin Beata.

### BIG ALUMNI AT WASHINGTON DINNER

The Bowdoin Alumni Association of Washington, D. C., held its thirty-seventh annual meeting at the Hotel Raleigh last Tuesday evening with a large attendance. Senator Charles F. Johnson '79, presided. Dean Sills, representing the College, spoke of the activities of the year. Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary '77, the second speaker, emphasized the duty of the College in the present national crisis to support the government, and told in particular of the efforts being made to increase the efficiency of our aviation corps in both Army and Navy. He was hopeful that the College would do its share along the line of preparedness and was gratified by the good showing of the Bowdoin men at Plattsburg.

William M. Ingraham '95, Assistant Secretary of War, spoke along lines suggested by Admiral Peary. He expressed the opinion that universal military service is the only solution of the preparedness problem in a democracy like ours. Congressman Daniel J. McGillicuddy '81, made a strong plea for better compensation for college instructors, pointing out that in most instances present salaries are wholly inadequate. He said that with increasing compensation in other fields of endeavor, a good man is not urged to enter the teaching profession unless more effort is made by the alumni of different institutions to raise funds for increasing the salaries of the professors.

Dr. Miles Standish '75 of Boston brought the greetings of the Bowdoin men of Boston to their brothers in Washington and urged that Bowdoin College be kept small in number. "The day of the small college has come," he said, "we do not want Bowdoin to grow into an unweildy institution." L. N. Noble '16, who is studying law in Washington, spoke for the younger alumni and made some graceful and felicitous remarks.

The following officers were elected for the coming year:

President, Congressman John A. Peters '85; Vice-Presidents, General Ellis Spear '58, Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary '77, William M. Ingraham '95; Recording Secretary, Woodbury Pulsifer '95; Corresponding Secretary, Charles H. Hastings '91.

### PHILADELPHIA BOWDOIN CLUB FORMED

The Bowdoin Club of Philadelphia held its first meeting for 1917 at Kugler's Restaurant, Philadelphia, on Thursday evening, January 25. Myrton A. Bryant 1904, presided. After the dinner the following officers were elected for the year: Frederick L. Smith (1886), President, and John W. Leydon (1907), Secretary. Mr. Smith has been for many years Master of Latin and Greek in the Penn Charter School.

After the election of officers the club discussed three topics suggested by the Alumni Council Bulletin. The first matter debated was the advisability of a Placement Bureau, through which Seniors could be recommended for positions in business and professions, and to which graduates could send notice of vacancies attractive to Bowdoin students. This subject provoked lively interest and two suggestions were advanced: one, that a permanent officer of the College should be constituted a vocational guide for Seniors, and another, that a course of lectures should be instituted, open to the whole College. In this course eminent members of every profession should address the undergraduates upon the requirements for success in Law, Medicine, Education, Journalism, Advertising, Banking, Textile Industry, Foreign Trade and other lines of business. It was thought that the undergraduates would welcome an opportunity to hear from prominent Bowdoin Alumni advice in the choice of their future life-work. President Bryant appointed a committee to investigate the possibilities of vocational guidance, the report to be made at the next meeting, March 14.

The subject of athletics for all the students was discussed and the proposed system heartily approved. By unanimous vote the Club went on

record as favoring the Week-End Commencement, as giving a larger number of alumni a chance to be present.

At the dinner were: Edward S. Power, M.D. '80, Frederick L. Smith '86, William L. Black '88, Prof. Daniel E. Owen '89, Walter L. Sanborn '01, Lester D. Tyler '01, Donald F. McCormick '03, John Halford '07, John W. Leydon '07, Harry E. Mitchell '07, Clarence P. Robinson '08, Herbert E. Warren '10, Harold N. Burnham '11, George L. Skolfield '13, Robert Weatherill '14, Gordon D. Richardson '15, Ralph Barrett '16, Frederick Bartlett '17.

The next meeting is set for Wednesday evening, March 14. A determined effort will be made to have a record-breaking attendance. The January meeting was most enthusiastic but plans are being made to have a program for the next meeting which will surpass in interest anything attempted thus far. The next meeting comes Wednesday, March 14.

#### HOLY CROSS GAME IN 1918

Bowdoin will play football with Holy Cross at Worcester in the fall of 1918 in order to live up to the two game contract which was arranged a year ago. It was not understood at Bowdoin that a two-game contract had been made at the time when the game at Portland was arranged for last November, but attention has since been called to this fact. The schedule for the coming season had already been drawn up and it was too late for a change. Bowdoin offered to play at Worcester on Sept. 22, before the opening of college in order to satisfy the terms of the contract, but it has since been arranged to play the second game a year later. Bowdoin has played three games with Holy Cross, two of which have been victories for the Worcester college.

#### DEXTER HIGH WINS ABRAXAS CUP

At the beginning of his talk to sub-freshmen at the smoker Saturday evening, President Hyde announced that Dexter High School had won the Abraxas Cup, offered to the fitting school sending at least three men to Bowdoin, whose Freshman representatives maintain the highest average in scholarship during the first semester. Dexter High, which stood a whole point higher than Cony, its nearest competitor, was represented by Jere Abbott, Edward H. Ellms, and Thomas B. Rowell. Exeter won the Abraxas Cup in 1915, the first year in which it was offered, and last year Portland High secured it.

Following is the standing of the schools this year:

School	No. of	
	Men	Average Grade
Dexter High .....	3	12.8333
Cony High .....	3	11.8333
Bangor High .....	5	11.2000
Maine Central Institute .....	3	11.1667
South Portland High .....	4	10.8750
Hebron Academy .....	4	10.3750
Calais Academy .....	3	10.0000
Guilford High .....	3	8.6667
Brunswick High .....	3	8.5000
Portland High .....	4	8.0000
Bath High .....	7	7.7857
Lisbon Falls High .....	3	7.0000
Coburn Class. Institute .....	3	6.8333

#### AMBULANCE FUND NEARLY COMPLETE

Dean Sills, the treasurer of the committee raising funds for a Bowdoin ambulance, announces that all but \$250 of the necessary amount has been raised. The committee is confident that the remainder will be raised.

#### ARISTOPHANES FOR THE CLASSICISTS

The "Humor of Aristophanes" was the subject of the address given by Professor Joseph W. Hewitt of Wesleyan before the Classical Club last Thursday at the Kappa Sigma house. Professor Hewitt is a Bowdoin man of the Class of 1897, and is now professor of Greek and Latin at Wesleyan University.

The next meeting of the club is to be held at the Union, March 9, and Professor Smith is to be the speaker. The lecture will be open to the public. After the lecture the club will spend the remainder of the evening at the home of Professor Woodruff.

#### LECTURE ON SEA BIRDS

Arthur H. Norton, curator of the Museum of Natural History at Portland, will lecture before the Biology Club tonight in the Biology lecture room on Sea Birds of Maine and How They Are Protected. Mr. Norton has made an extensive study of Maine sea birds and has prepared a fine collection of slides which will be used to illustrate his lecture. All students interested in biology are invited to attend. After the lecture there will be an informal meeting at the Union where an opportunity will be given for personal discussions with Mr. Norton on the nature of his work on birds.

#### MORE MEN AFTER SCIENCE DEGREE

An investigation shows that the course leading to the degree of Bachelor of Science, introduced

in 1911, is becoming increasingly popular each year. The Class of 1915, the first to include members who received this degree, graduated eight men with a B.S. diploma, and 62 with A.B.

In 1916 again 62 of the class received the arts degree, while 17 received the B.S.

Of the 84 men in the Class of 1917, 18 are candidates for the science degree; in 1918, numbering 85 men, are 18 working for the B.S.; in 1919 there are 25 out of 98; and in the Freshman class, numbering 157 (including 15 second year Freshmen), 55, or nearly one-third of the men are candidates for the B.S. degree.

#### N. H. HISTORY BY STACKPOLE

"The History of New Hampshire" by Everett S. Stackpole '71, consisting of four volumes, is a set of books recently added to the Library. Although the history proper terminates nearly thirty years ago, statistical information is brought down to date, as well as late events in the revision of the State constitution, growth of schools and colleges and industrial institutions. There is also a fifth or supplementary volume, which is biographical rather than historical. These works were published by the American Historical Society of New York.

#### CALENDAR

##### TUESDAY, FEB. 13

8 P. M. Biology Club lecture. Biology Lecture Room.

##### FRIDAY, FEB. 16

5 P. M. Mandolin Club rehearsal. Memorial Hall.

Delta Kappa Epsilon house party.

##### SATURDAY, FEB. 17

6 P. M. Sophomore hop.

##### MONDAY, FEB. 19

Musical Clubs at Bangor.

##### TUESDAY, FEB. 20

Musical Clubs at Dexter.

##### WEDNESDAY, FEB. 21

Musical Clubs at Skowhegan.

Relay races at Hartford.

##### THURSDAY, FEB. 22

Washington's Birthday holiday.

##### FRIDAY, FEB. 23

Bradbury Prize Debates.

##### MONDAY, FEB. 26

Lecture by Hamilton Holt, Memorial Hall.

##### FRIDAY, MAR. 9

8 P. M. Classical Club, Union.

Sophomore-Freshman Meet.

##### FRIDAY, MAR. 16

Interclass Meet.

#### THE SCHROEDER TRIO

The musical events for the season are not over. The Schroeder Trio, which is to appear in the Town Hall under the auspices of the Saturday Club next Monday, Feb. 19, at 8 p. m., though different in character, will not be second to any of the fine concerts already given. Mr. Schroeder, the 'cellist, was for many years a member of the famous Kneisel quartet. Mr. Noack is second concert master of the Boston Symphony orchestra and Ethel Cave Cole is a rare accompanist.

Bowdoin College students are to act as ushers. No one who appreciates good music can afford to miss the concert. Tickets, 50 cents.

#### With the Faculty

President Hyde recently entertained the Town and College Club at the Hotel Eagle.

Professor Files attended the Convention of the American Road Builders' Association which was held in Boston last week. Professor Files was one of the commissioners from this State.

Professor Mitchell last Monday began a course in "English Teaching" with the teachers of the Bangor schools. On Friday he spoke before the meeting of the Kennebec Valley Teachers' Association at Waterville.

Prof. Bell has an article in the January issue of *The American Historical Review*, entitled "The West Indian Trade Before the American Revolution." This was reprinted in the Brunswick Record last week.

In Sunday's *Boston Herald* Professor Nixon printed an open letter on the new relations between Germany and the United States.

Professor Hormell was in Augusta Wednesday and Saturday supervising the installation of the new budget and accounting system for Augusta.

Mr. MacCormick will speak at Portland High School and before the Civic Club of Portland tomorrow.

Professors Files, Nixon, Meserve, Langley and Mr. MacCormick are to be in the casts of the two plays of the second closed performance of the Brunswick Dramatic Club given at the Cumberland Theatre, next Tuesday evening. Professors Burnett and Nixon are assuming charge of the two plays.

#### On the Campus

Boratis '19 has left College.

Term bills came out last week.

Battery candidates were called out to report in the cage Monday.



Weston Hilton '91 was on the *campus* last week. He is practicing law at Damariscotta.

Smoke rising from the chimney of the new Infirmary indicates the near completion of that building.

McClave '19 left College Sunday, being obliged to undergo another operation consequent of his football injuries.

The Maine Ambulance fund is increasing rapidly. On Friday Dean Sills, who is treasurer of the fund, reported the sum of \$1212 received to date.

Emery, the M.C.I. athlete, was stricken with appendicitis during the meet Saturday, and was obliged to go home at once and probably be operated upon.

Those who completed their course in three and a half years are Babcock, Gregory, Humphrey, Bartlett, Niven, Owen, Pierce, Ramsdell, Spaulding, Tuttle, True.

Among those on the *campus* last week were: Koughan '09, Burleigh '13, Haskell '13, Merrill '14, McKenney '15, Beal '16, Brewster '16, Burr '16 and Sayward '16.

A number of students are changing their College residence for the second semester. Several are moving to chapter houses and others are moving from private houses to the "ends."

Revisions in the list of "Straight A" men show that the names of Clarence H. Crosby '17, Hal S. White '17, and Maurice W. Avery '19 should be added to the list which appeared last week.

The Alpha Kappa Kappa held a "smoker" at the residence of Dr. Lippincott last Friday evening, which was attended by the undergraduate members and several out of town alumni. Dr. F. Y. Gilbert '01 of Portland, editor of the *Journal of the Maine Medical Association*, spoke on "Industrial Health Insurance."

The New England Intercollegiate Track Association held its annual meeting at Boston last week and decided that the meet will be held under the auspices of M.I.T. at the new "Tech Field" in Cambridge on May 18. Worcester Tech, Bates, and Springfield also put in bids for the meet. The resignation of Dartmouth was accepted.

### Alumni Notes

'92.—Henry C. Emery of the Maine Supreme Court of Ellsworth and Bangor, is the author of the leading article in *Collier's* for Jan. 13. The article is on "Our Prosperity and Peace," and is the story of an interview with Judge Elbert H. Gary of the United States Steel Corporation. The burden of the article is that our present

state of good business cannot continue after the war unless great energy and wisdom are brought to bear on the problem.

M. '96.—Dr. John E. Wadsworth died of pneumonia at his home in Skowhegan, Jan. 29.

Dr. Wadsworth was one of three in his class who were chosen to act as house physicians and surgeons at the Maine General Hospital for one year. Following this he went to Skowhegan where he built up a large practice and later bought a sanitarium which he converted into a hospital. He was recently appointed a member of the State Board of Registration for Nurses. He was prominent in the Somerset County Medical Association, and was school physician for Skowhegan.

'99.—Drew Hall has resigned from his position of public librarian of Somerville, Mass. He had held this office for the last five years.

'02.—Richard B. Dole, since 1904 a chemist of the United States Geological Survey, with headquarters at Washington, D. C., died Jan. 21, following a nervous breakdown due to overwork. He had recently completed a scientific work and had worked hard to finish it before the new year, since at that time he was to leave on an important government mission to Texas. He had been ill in a Washington hospital since Christmas night.

After his graduation from Bowdoin he was an instructor in chemistry in this institution for a year. During the next year he was State chemist for Minnesota. Since that year he had been with the Federal government. In him the College loses one of its most promising young scientists.

He is survived by his wife and a son.

'08.—The engagement of Hon. Aaron A. Putnam of Houlton, Me., to Miss Maria L. Hacker of Fort Fairfield, has been announced. The bride is a sister of Thomas E. Hacker '07.

'09.—The engagement is announced of Miss Ruth C. Webb of Hartford, Conn., to Dr. John A. Wentworth of Boston, Mass. Miss Webb attended Northfield Seminary and Boston University.

Dr. Wentworth graduated from Harvard Medical School in 1913 and is now on the staff of Peter Bent Brigham Hospital of Boston, Mass.

'14.—The engagement is announced of Miss Ruth E. York to Warren C. Coombs.

'14.—The engagement of Miss Marion Longley and Harry B. Eddy, both of Portland, has been announced.

M. '15.—The engagement of Dr. Holland G. Hamilton of Ancon, Panama, to Miss Edith Steadman of Dorchester, Mass., has been announced.



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## NEW DORMITORY ASSURED

Bowdoin will have the new dormitory when College opens in the fall, according to an announcement made by President Hyde at Chapel Thursday, for the committee of trustees which has been actively working for the dormitory report that the necessary \$70,000 is assured. The contract has been awarded to F. A. Rumery of Portland, who is building the Infirmary, with the provision that it be ready by the first of September. The plans have already been drawn up by Allen & Collens and Felix A. Burton, the designers of the Gymnasium, the Hyde Athletic Building, and the Infirmary.

The new hall will resemble the three historic dormitories from the exterior, except that there will be two doorways facing the campus. The rooms will be more conveniently arranged than in Winthrop, Maine, and Appleton, for it is planned that the corner rooms will have two bedrooms, while the inside rooms will have running hot and cold water. On each floor there will be a lavatory with two shower baths. The doorways facing the campus will necessitate making two single rooms on the first floor. It is not certain whether or not the central heating plant can be extended to the new hall, and it is probable that there will be an independent heating system.

The building, although it will not be fire proof, will be a "slow burning." The roof will be covered with copper. There will be frequent fire stops and metal lathing will be used throughout the structure. The building will be divided into "ends" by a fire proof wall, through which there will be passage by steel doors to be used in case of fire.

The erection of the new hall will alleviate the present crowded conditions, and it will not be necessary for students to room off the campus next year. The room rents in the new hall will be somewhat higher than those in the other three, but the difference will not be great enough to make the new hall a "Gold Coast." The name of the new building has not yet been determined. It will be located in the position which has always been picked for the fourth dormitory, between South Appleton and the Zeta Psi house. As there is practically no frost in the ground, it

is expected that work will commence early in the spring, and the construction will be rushed so that the building will be completed by the opening of College in September.

## OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS LIKELY

The Faculty Committee has just heard from the War Department at Washington relative to the Officers' Training Corps. A system somewhat like the Harvard system is offered. This matter was brought up before the Student Council on last evening and will come before the faculty tomorrow. There is every probability that a corps will be established under General War Orders 49.

## PROF. HAM TO ADDRESS STUDENTS

The College will have an opportunity to hear Professor Ham's experiences in Russia in his talk at the Union Monday evening, March 5, under the auspices of the Christian Association. Among the other speakers arranged for this season are Dr. James P. Kelly, Commissioner of Communicable Diseases in Massachusetts and Dean Alfred E. Burton of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, who will speak around the first of May. The subjects will be announced later.

## CAMPAIGN FOR SECOND AMBULANCE

One ambulance has already been provided for, and funds for a second are already being secured by the committee which is working for the establishment of a Maine ambulance. The response from the citizens of the State and the Alumni of Bowdoin has been generous and it is probable that the second ambulance will be provided. The committee in charge is composed of Dean Sills, as treasurer, Carleton M. Pike '17, and Loyall Sewall, *ex. '17*.

## HIGH INTERCOLLEGIATE RIFLE SCORE

In the first intercollegiate match, with 32 colleges shooting, Bowdoin took ninth place, defeating such schools as the University of Michigan, University of Pennsylvania, University of Maine, University of Illinois, Williams, Johns Hopkins, and Dartmouth. Bowdoin stands at the head of

D class, composed of clubs shooting for the first time this year.

The score of the highest clubs is as follows:

Washington State .....	987
Michigan Agricultural College .....	941
Notre Dame .....	920
Massachusetts Agricultural College .....	902
Cornell .....	894
Norwich .....	879
West Virginia University .....	870
Annapolis .....	869
Bowdoin .....	856

Out of a possible 200 the Bowdoin men shot as follows:

Johnson '18 .....	178
Burleigh '19 .....	177
Hurlin '17 .....	169
Schlossberg '18 .....	167
McConaughy '17 .....	165

Matches will be shot each week, and the average at the end of the season determines the club's standing.

The official records of the second National Intercollegiate Rifle Match placed Bowdoin in the tenth place out of 39 colleges entered with a total score of 1750 out of a possible 2000. This makes Bowdoin within easy striking distance of the first five colleges, 43 points separating us from the fifth college. In Class D, where all colleges competing for the first year are grouped, Bowdoin has the lead by 124 points over Kansas Agricultural College, its nearest competitor.

#### RELAY RACE WITH M. I. T. TOMORROW

Capt. Pierce '17, Simonton '18, Wyman '18, Turner '19, and Cleaves '20, with Manager Walker and Coach Magee left this morning for Hartford, Conn., where the team will run against M. I. T. fliers tomorrow night. The race will be for a mile, each man running 440 yards. Tech defeated Brown at the B. A. A. games in fast me, and has lost but one race, to Harvard in a close race at the Coast Artillery games in Boston, last month.

This race is the last of the relay season.

#### DOWN EAST TRIP OF MUSICAL CLUBS

The Musical Clubs left yesterday noon for their trip up State. Last night they performed at Bangor, and tonight it will be at Dexter. On Thursday evening there is a concert at Skowhegan and Friday evening, across the river in Topsham. Manfred L. Warren '18, has been elected leader of the Mandolin Club in the place of Daniel W. True '17, who finished at mid-year.

#### GLEE CLUB

Leader, Seward.

First Tenors—Chase '18, Crosby '17, Hill '19, Lane '18, Sullivan '20.

Second Tenors—Harrington '18, Ross '17, Stetson '18, Woodman '18, Pierce.

First Bass—Biggers '17, Matthews '18, Merrill '19, Richan '20.

Second Bass—Decker '19, P. E. Doherty '19, Joyce '18.

#### MANDOLIN CLUB

Leader, Warren.

First Mandolins—Farrar '19, Haskell '18, Sanford '18, Warren '18.

Second Mandolins—Albert '19, Claff '18, McQuillan '18.

Mandolas—Moore '20, Tillson '19.

Mando-Cello—Stetson '18, Richan '20.

Flute—Sturgis '19.

Violin—McGorrill '19, Philbrick '18.

Drums—Holbrook '19.

Guitar—Tilley '19.

The pianist is Edwards '19, and the reader, Mooers '18.

#### FACULTY LETTER TO JUDGE PUTNAM

Last Tuesday a letter signed by every member of the faculty was sent by that body to Judge William L. Putnam of Portland, expressing sympathy and the hope of a speedy recovery. Judge Putnam received the degree of A. B. from Bowdoin in 1855 and that of LL. D. in 1884. He has been a member of the Board of Overseers from 1868 to 1884, and of the Board of Trustees since 1884, and is the only member of the boards who was in office when President Hyde was elected. He is chairman of the financial committee and one of the best friends the College has ever had.

#### BOWDOIN BEATS BATES

After several postponements the Bowdoin-Bates hockey game was finally played last Wednesday evening at Lewiston, where Bowdoin won from the latter by a score of two to one. Although Bates kept the puck at Bowdoin's end of the rink most of the time, Burr and Bradford managed to shoot two goals, and by some fine work in making seventeen stops Phillips prevented scoring until within forty seconds of the close of the second period, when Cutler made the only goal for the opponents.

#### BOWDOIN

McCulloch, rw .....	lw, Duncan
Delehanty, c .....	c, Davis
Burr, r .....	r, Pedbereznak
Little, lw .....	rw, Cutler

#### BATES

MacIninch, cp ..... cp, Woodward  
 Bradford, p ..... p, Burns  
 Phillips, g ..... g, Stetbacher  
 Score, Bowdoin 2, Bates 1. Goals made, by  
 Burr, Bradford, Cutler. Referee, Dr. William  
 Ness, McGill University. Goal umpires, E. K.  
 Bly, Bowdoin; B. R. Webb, Bates. Timers, H.  
 L. Childs, Bowdoin; N. L. Larkin, Bates. Time,  
 20 minute and 25 minute periods.

#### BATES BEATS BOWDOIN

In the return game played with Bates Saturday afternoon on the Bowdoin rink, the visiting team turned the tables on their opponents. Bowdoin's game was slower and lacked the snap which was displayed by them at Lewiston. However, this was undoubtedly due to the fact that Captain MacIninch and most of his men labored Friday afternoon and long into the night removing the snow from the rink. Hanson '18 showed a comeback when he shot the only goal.

#### BATES

#### BOWDOIN

Cutler, rw ..... lw, Little  
 Duncan, lw ..... rw, McCulloch, Hanson  
 Davis, c ..... c, Delehanty  
 Pedbereznak, r ..... r, Burr  
 Woodward, cp ..... cp MacIninch  
 Purinton, Burns, p ..... p, Bradford  
 Stetbacher, g ..... g, Phillips  
 Score, Bates 3, Bowdoin 1. Goals, Duncan,  
 Cutler, Pedbereznak, Hanson. Referee, Cates;  
 goal umpires, Richan, Sawyer; timer, MacCormick; time, 20 and 25 minute periods.

#### MISS REPPLEH TO GIVE COLE LECTURE

Miss Agnes Repplier of Philadelphia will be the Annie Talbot Cole Lecturer for next year. Miss Repplier has gained great prominence as an essayist and also through her longer publications. In 1902 she received her Litt.D. from the University of Pennsylvania and in 1911 she was awarded the Letaire medal from the University of Notre Dame. Among her numerous publications are *Essays on Idleness*; *Philadelphia—The Place and The People*; *Americans and Others*; *A Happy Half Century*.

#### SOPHOMORES HOPPED SATURDAY NIGHT

Nearly a hundred couples, with upper classmen strongly in predominance, attended the sophomore hop in the gymnasium Saturday evening. Lovell's Orchestra played for an order of twenty-two dances. The dance commenced at seven o'clock to get in the entire order before midnight. The patronesses were Mrs. Henry Johnson, Mrs. William A. Moody, Mrs. Charles C. Hutchins,

Mrs. Frank D. Woodruff, Mrs. Frank N. Whittier, Mrs. Wilmot B. Mitchell, Mrs. Charles T. Burnett, Mrs. Roscoe J. Ham, Mrs. William H. Davis, Mrs. Paul Nixon and Mrs. Lee D. McClean. The committee in charge consisted of Savage, chairman, Grover, McDonald, Paul and Smethurst.

The guests were the Misses Marjory Berry, Mary Brockway, Marian Goss, Marion Starbird, Gertrude Albion, Ruth Little, Katherine Lewis, Margaret Hinds, Annette Eaton, Janet Marriner, Margaret Haines, Ruth Morrill, Eleanor Palmer, Geraldine Wheeler, Evelyn Frost, Frances Foss, Helene Fenderson, Dorothy Gardner, Anna Lothrop, Helen Bailey, Marion Fernald, Stella Libby, Susanne Merriman, Frances Sturgis, Helen Small, Katherine Dow, Ethel Fairweather, Charlotte Downs, Marie Files, Martha Feyler, Irene Ledoux, Gertrude Schonald and Elizabeth Pollard of Portland; Helen Colby, Lillian Tobey, Marguerite Hutchins, Marion Strout, Olive Nutter, Helene Blackwell, Ruth Lovell and Mary Allen of Brunswick; Elizabeth Cooper, Agnes Shum, Frances Ellinwood and Mary Johnson of Augusta; Gertrude Mansfield, Harriet Bearce and Edith Hennessey of Farmington; Carolyn Adams, Mona McWilliams and Elizabeth Thaxter of Bangor; Millicent Clifford, Louise Haggett and Lydia Tracey of Bath; Maud Brooks, Florence Norris and Isabelle Soutar of Auburn; Katherine Clifford of Lewiston; Dorothy Lufkin of Deer Isle; Blanche Bryant of Biddeford; Doris Higgins of Brewer; Hazel Noyes of Topsham; Bertha Graves of Bowdoinham; Irene Locke of Norway; Gwendolyn Safford and Marjory Safford of Hallowell; Eva Hackett of Houlton; Lorena Reid of Richmond; Alice Hemenway of Rockland; Ruth Morrill of Saco; Elizabeth Macomber of Skowhegan; Bertha Gerry of Waterville; Alice White of Cumberland Mills; Edith Ewer of Flushing, N. Y.; Florence Wakefield of Boston; Caroline Creed of Needham Heights, Mass.; Elizabeth Tappan of Jamaica Plain, Mass.; Doris Cochrane of Northampton, Mass.; Frances Page of Salem, Mass.; Georgiana Young of Orient Heights, Mass.; Harriet Smethurst of Lowell, Mass.; Josephine Houts and Edith Layman of St. Louis, Mo.

#### LEWISTON-AUBURN ALUMNI BANQUET

Professor Mitchell, Professor Ham and Sullivan '20, spoke at the Lewiston-Auburn Alumni Dinner, Saturday night. Professor Ham spoke on experiences in Russia and Sullivan '20 spoke on experiences and conditions at the front in France. There was a good number in attendance from the two cities.



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## The New Dormitory

We feel sure that we represent the general feeling of the College in expressing our gratification that a new dormitory is at last a certainty. The years that have passed since our present dormitories were built have seen many changes and improvements in living conditions, to some of which we have been unable to adapt our older halls. It gives us great satisfaction then to learn that the new building will be modern in every particular. Perhaps improved surround-

ings will encourage in the occupants greater responsibility and care of the rooms, which certainly are needed here. We hope every effort will be made to secure an early completion of a new dormitory worthy of the College, in order that a much larger proportion of the student body may thereby be accommodated on the campus, with clean, comfortable surroundings such as will give a more home-like appearance and call forth better habits in the undergraduates.

## The Dance

A number of matters in connection with the Sophomore Hop last Saturday seem to us to call for criticism. In the first place, we believe that certain social customs, which are generally considered correct and fitted to the occasion, should be better observed. Men should not come on the floor in other than evening dress, except perhaps for the few alumni who come from a distance, and with many it gives a poor impression, at a large dance, for two men to be seen dancing together. In the second place, greater care should be put upon the gymnasium floor. Many of the boards are uneven and the whole floor, Saturday, was sticky and hard on the dancers. If these College dances are to be kept up to standard, it seems to us that these and other similar conditions should be attended to. Perhaps we are too fussy, but when we are doing a thing, such as entertaining our friends at the College, let us leave a good impression by doing it right.

## LOWER CLASS TRACK MEET MARCH 9

Large squads of Sophomores and Freshmen are working out each afternoon under Coach Magee, in preparation for their dual meet on March 9. The meet will include 11 events: 40-yd. dash; 45-yard high hurdles; 440-yard run; 880-yard run; one mile run; broad jump; high jump; pole vault; putting 16 lb. shot; throwing the discus, and throwing the 36 lb. weight.

The last event of the evening is a relay race; each class will race 8 men, each man running 2 laps.

## DEAN ALBERS ON LAW

"Law is a jealous mystery," said Dean Homer Albers of Boston University Law School, at an address given before an audience of about one hundred students and faculty members in the Union Monday, Feb. 12. His address was divided into three parts, each dealing respectively with what the lawyer is and does; requisites of a lawyer; and lastly his opportunities. Under the

first he defined a lawyer as "a high-class business expert." Dealing with the second he named character, ability to work, fair degree of intelligence and education. "Contrary to the common belief, a lawyer must have the highest character, for they know every time they cheat anyone, they hurt the brotherhood. Admission to the bar means a sentence for hard work for life. A lawyer must have a fair degree of intelligence combined with a good amount of common sense. There are always chances for a good lawyer. There is always plenty of room on top." In conclusion he said, "We lawyers shall be called the sons of God, for we are the peacemakers."

#### RIFLE CLUB WINS FROM MILITAMEN

The Bowdoin Rifle Club won a match from the local militia company this week with a score of 239 to 228. Though four of the best shots were absent on the evening of the shoot, some excellent scores were made by the others. Johnson '18 was high man of the match, scoring perfect targets on both prone and off-hand. Mundie and Dennett appeared for the first time in a match and scored 47 apiece.

The scores of the two teams were:

##### BOWDOIN

	Offhand	Prone	Total
Johnson '18 .....	25	25	50
Burleigh '19 .....	24	24	48
Mundie '20 .....	23	24	47
Ellms '20 .....	23	24	47
Dennett '20 .....	22	25	47

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##### TENTH COMPANY, C. A. C.

	Offhand	Prone	Total
J. J. Lawry .....	24	25	49
W. Maxwell .....	22	25	47
H. St. Pierre .....	23	21	44
W. Cobb .....	22	22	44
A. Belanger .....	19	25	44
	110	118	228

#### RE-ENTRY MATCH STARTS THURSDAY

The re-entry match of the Rifle Club will probably begin Thursday of this week. There will be the ten targets standing, five shots per target, and ten targets prone with the same number of shots. The cost of each target is two cents.

Each marksman will be permitted to shoot as many targets as he wishes but the highest ten made in each position will count for the record score. The prizes, which will consist of cups

and ammunition, will be given to the men ranking first, third, fifth, seventh, ninth and fifteenth.

Professor Langley, Johnson '18 and Schlosberg '18 are barred from receiving prizes by Professor Langley's ruling.

In connection with this it is perhaps interesting to note that there are yet five more intercollegiate matches.

#### REPORT OF RIFLE CLUB

##### RECEIPTS

Sept. 1, Balance from June 30, 1916 ....	\$ 38.63
Oct. 9, Membership dues .....	68.00
Jan. 5, Membership dues .....	6.00

\$112.63

##### EXPENDITURES

N. R. A. dues and administration expenses .....	\$ 12.05
Printing .....	2.85
Targets, pastes, and ammunition ....	59.24
Oils, cloths and cleaning equipment ...	13.30

\$87.44

Balance on hand, First Nat. Bank, Jan. 31 .....	25.19
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\$ 63.72

The club has bills outstanding to the amount of .....	\$ 25.00
The club owns saleable ammunition to the amount of .....	53.10

#### BATTERY CANDIDATES OUT

Although the baseball squad is still large and the candidates have not as yet encountered their hardest training, many of the men are showing up exceptionally well. The battery candidates have been out for a week, and there is a wealth of material to work with.

The pitching candidates (right handed) are—Savage '19, Pendleton '18, Butterfield '19, Tuttle '19, and Drummond '20. Besides these there are an unusual number of southpaws, consisting of Lannon '20, who is showing up well for a new man, Smethhurst '19, L. O. Smith '19, and Graves '19. The catchers are—Bradford '17, Thomas '17, Cate '20, McElwee '20, and Foster '20. Candidates for the infield and outfield will not all be out until after the Inter-class Meet of March 16th. First and second base positions are open owing to the graduation of Captain McElwee and Goodskey.

Captain Bradford is keeping constantly in touch with Ben Houser, and it is at the latter's suggestion that there has, as yet been no batting practice in the cage.

## WINTER FOOTBALL PROGRESSING

With about forty men regularly appearing for practice, winter football is making fine progress. Scrimmage will begin this week and will be held every Tuesday and Thursday afternoon for the remainder of the season. Exercises on the weights and wrestling has been carried on as part of the training for the line men, while the back-field men have been doing track work.

Ex-Captain Shumway has devised a novel game for developing the accuracy in forward passing. The game is played on the same plan as baseball, the men taking the regular field and base positions. Instead of batting the passed ball delivered from the pitcher's position, the batsman catches it and throws it to any position in the field, then running the bases as in baseball. The constant and accurate passing thus required between the fielders and basemen is working fine results.

## UNION FINANCIAL STATEMENT

## Receipts

## Expenditures

TERM ENDING JAN. 3, 1917.

BILLIARDS			
Sept.	\$ 11.15	Sept.	\$ 15.50
Oct.	26.60	Oct.	
Nov.	18.30	Nov.	
Dec.,	9.75	Dec.	7.15
Jan.	26.40	Jan.	1.18
	<u>\$ 92.20</u>		<u>\$ 23.85</u>
CANDY			
Sept.	\$ 18.56	Sept.	
Oct.	58.85	Oct.	\$ 58.67
Nov.	33.33	Nov.	16.25
Dec.	18.12	Dec.	55.92
Jan.	45.37	Jan.	
	<u>\$168.23</u>		<u>\$110.24</u>
TOBACCO			
Sept.	\$ 11.04	Sept.	
Oct.	32.75	Oct.	\$ 71.41
Nov.	25.60	Nov.	18.70
Dec.	12.89	Dec.	27.57
Jan.	31.65	Jan.	17.47
	<u>\$113.93</u>		<u>\$135.15</u>
GENERAL EXPENSE			
Sept.	\$ 7.25	Sept.	\$ 5.00
Oct.		Oct.	21.34
Nov.	10.35	Nov.	88.23
Dec.	31.35	Dec.	10.39
Jan.	20.00	Jan.	14.40
	<u>\$ 68.95</u>		<u>\$139.36</u>

## ADDITIONAL

From balance		From Maint.	
June 30, 1916	\$102.48	Appro.	
From Maintenance		Billiards	
Appropriation	213.13	Candy	10.79
	<u>\$315.61</u>	Tobacco	10.87
		Gen. Expense	191.47
			<u>\$213.15</u>
TOTALS			
Billiards	\$ 92.20	Billiards	\$ 23.83
Candy	168.23	Candy	110.24
Tobacco	113.93	Tobacco	135.15
Gen. Expense	68.95	Gen. Expense	139.36
Additional	315.61	Additional	213.13
	<u>\$758.92</u>		<u>\$621.71</u>
Balance on Hand:			
First National			
Bank	\$120.40		
Cash in			
drawer	16.81		137.21
			<u>\$758.92</u>

Note.—A total appropriation of \$800.00 is made for the Bowdoin Union, of which \$500.00 is used to pay for the attendants' wages, and \$300.00 for maintenance.

## DRAMATIC CLUB PLAYS

On Tuesday evening the Brunswick Dramatic Club will give two plays, the first a one act Irish play and the second a three act comedy.

The cast for the first play is: Professor Bell, Mrs. Wilnot B. Mitchell, Professor Meserve, Mr. MacCormick.

In the second, the players are, Charles Porter, Professor Nixon, Professor Langley, Mrs. William Hawley Davis, Miss Ruth Little, and Miss Davenport.

The coaches are Dr. Burnett, for the first and Professor Nixon for the second play.

## FIRST COLLEGE TEA OF THE SEASON

The first College Tea was held in the Union Saturday afternoon. The color scheme of decorating was yellow and white. During the tea, music and informal dancing were enjoyed. There was a good attendance.

In the receiving line were, Mrs. Burnett, Mrs. Nixon, Mrs. Wilder, Mrs. Gross, Mrs. Evans, Mrs. McClean.

At the tea table Mrs. Moody poured. She was assisted by Miss Katherine Willis, Miss Helen Furbish, Miss Ruth Foss.

At one punch table Mrs. Whittier and Mrs.

Wilder dipped, having as assistants, Miss Miriam Andrews, Miss Ruth Lovell, Miss Emily Baxter, Miss Frances Skolfield, Miss Margaret Jordan, and Miss Eveleen Priest.

Coffee was poured by Mrs. Woodruff, assisted by Miss Helen Fisk, Miss Mabel Davis, Miss Alice Whittier, and Miss Mary Goodrich.

The following students ushered: Martin '19, from Alpha Delta Phi, Daggett '18, from Psi Upsilon, Mitchell '19, from Theta Delta Chi, Marston '17, from Zeta Psi, Stride '17, from Delta Upsilon, Whitney '10, from Kappa Sigma, Murch '18 from Beta Theta Pi, Hurlin, from Beta Chi, and Gray '17, from Phi Theta Upsilon, Gardner '19, from the Bowdoin Club, White, medic, '19, from Phi Chi, and Grant from Alpha Kappa Kappa.

The date for the second tea and tea committee for that tea will be announced later.

#### CHEMICAL ADDRESS BY PROF. HOUSTON '79

Professor Henry A. Houston '79, of New York, formerly professor of physics at Purdue University, will deliver an illustrated lecture before the chemistry classes, Thursday, March 8, on The Potash Industry. Following this lecture he will address the Chemical Club at the meeting to be held in the Union.

Since graduating from Bowdoin Professor Houston has held prominent positions in scientific fields. For several years he was Professor of Physics at Purdue and later, State chemist and director of the Indiana weather service. He has also published methods on agricultural analysis, soil improvements and numerous articles of agricultural interest.

#### PRISON ESSAY CONTEST

The National Committee on Prisons, through the courtesy of Mr. Adolph Lewisohn, is offering three prizes for theses or essays on phases of the prison problem.

For Master's Thesis One Prize of \$50.00

For an Undergraduate

Essay One Prize of \$25.00

For an Essay prepared by a student of a preparatory school One Prize of \$25.00

The judges will be: Professor James C. Egbert, Director Extension Teaching and Summer Sessions, Columbia University; Dr. Hastings H. Hart, Director Child-Helping Department, Russell Sage Foundation; Honorable William H. Wadhams, Judge, Court of General Sessions, City of New York.

All duly accredited students are eligible. For

Further information apply to the National Committee on Prisons, Broadway and 116th Street, New York, N. Y.

#### BASEBALL MANAGER'S REPORT

##### SEASON OF 1915-1916

##### RECEIPTS

Guarantees, spring trip .....	\$ 255 00
Bates game (half receipts and expenses) .....	52 70
Portland game (half gate receipts) ..	12 58
Maine game (gate receipts) .....	100 00
Colby game (gate receipts) .....	59 15
Colby guarantee .....	50 00
Maine guarantee .....	75 00
Bates (gate receipts) .....	29 50
Tufts guarantee .....	85 00
Colby (gate receipts) .....	50 25
Maine guarantee .....	75 00
Bates game (half gate receipts and expenses) .....	59 00
Bates-Ivy game (gate receipts) .....	260 00
Loan (Athletic Council) .....	100 00
Alumni game (gate receipts) .....	120 00
Refund from key deposits .....	3 00
Sale of mileage .....	19 56
Railroad rebate .....	1 40
Total .....	\$ 1,413 29
From A.S.B.C. ....	1,075 00
Total receipts .....	\$ 2,488 29

##### EXPENDITURES

Stamps .....	\$ 5 00
Telephone and telegraph .....	5 11
Printing .....	32 75
Old accounts .....	375 28
Coach .....	500 00
Supplies .....	187 50
Maine guarantee .....	75 00
Colby guarantees (two) .....	100 00
Bates (one-half gate and expenses) ..	26 25
Tufts, rain guarantee .....	42 50
Bates (one-half gate and expenses) ..	134 87
Incidentals .....	30 39
Spring trip .....	416 37
Umpires .....	62 00
Portland trip .....	63 20
Bates trip .....	45 10
Maine trip .....	94 25
Colby trip .....	59 00
Tufts trip .....	138 36
Maine trip .....	87 11
Bates trip .....	18 25

Total expenditures .....

\$ 2,488 29



### EQUAL SUFFRAGE LEAGUE LECTURE

On Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the Town Hall, Mrs. Deborah Knox Livingston will lecture in the interests of the Brunswick Equal Suffrage League. The lecture is free to the public and is especially timely now that the Woman's Suffrage Movement is rapidly gaining force and the recognition of woman's right to a share in the councils and business of her country seems inevitable. Mrs. Livingston's presentation of the case for equal suffrage is said to be most helpful in removing that foe of many good causes, prejudice.

### FRESHMAN MANAGERIAL CANDIDATES

The following Freshmen are working for the position of Assistant Manager of Track: L. W. Brown, Clapham, Coombs, O. G. Hall and Lamb, and the following for the assistantship of football, Kileski, Palmer, McPartland, Wood Whitney and Tibbetts. The call for candidates in baseball and tennis will be issued shortly.

### CALENDAR

TUESDAY, FEB. 20

Musical Clubs at Dexter.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 21

Musical Clubs at Skowhegan.

Relay race with M. I. T. at Hartford.

Hockey, Bates at Lewiston.

THURSDAY, FEB. 22

Washington's Birthday, holiday.

FRIDAY, FEB. 23

Bradbury Prize debates.

8 p. m., Musical Clubs' Pop Concert at Tops-ham.

MONDAY, FEB. 26

Lecture by Hamilton H. Mt. Memorial Hall.

MONDAY, MAR. 5

Lecture by Professor Ham, Union.

THURSDAY, MAR. 8

Lecture by Professor Houston, Chemical Lecture Room.

Meeting of Chemical Club.

FRIDAY, MAR. 9

Meeting of Classical Club, Union.

Sophomore-Freshman Meet.

FRIDAY, MAR. 16

Inter-class Meet.

FRIDAY, MAR. 23

Spring vacation begins.

### On the Campus

Thursday will be a holiday with the usual suspension of classes.

Professor Ham spoke to the Bowdoin Club of Portland Thursday noon.

The Library has just purchased a new 16 volume set of Defoe's works.

The hockey team will play a game with the Bates seven at Lewiston tomorrow.

Wyman '20 has left College with the intention of entering West Point in the spring.

On March 7 the Bowdoin Freshman Relay Team will race the Bates Freshmen at Lewiston.

Plans for the Bowdoin Battalion are still progressing and definite action will shortly be taken to establish a military training organization here.

Professor Davis spoke before a meeting of the Lewiston Teachers' Association last Thursday evening on the subject, "Teaching of English."

Money is still being received to increase the amount of the Howard R. Ives Memorial Scholarship. Last week \$110 were added to the fund by various contributors.

Among those on the campus last week were R. L. Marston '99, J. C. Minot '96, A. S. Merrill '14, Drapeau '16, Bird '16, Stratton '16, Kelley '16, Pettingill '16, Hargraves '16.

Professor Files attended the Legislative hearing at Augusta last week, where he presented the case for the mill tax advocates, before the Ways and Bridges Committee.

C. E. Allen is coaching the Portland High School debating team. The schedule of the Interscholastic debates has so been arranged that they all come Friday night, March 9.

Charles W. Lovejoy of Rumford, a transfer from Dartmouth, has registered for this semester. Fay '19 and Canavella '19 are also back this semester after their service at the border.

Bartlett '17 and Spaulding '17 left College last week, as they both graduated at mid-years, Bartlett will enter West Point in June and Spaulding expects to enter Massachusetts Institute of Technology next fall.

A large proportion of the Freshman class have not yet paid the assessment of 10 cents long since due. Several bills must be immediately paid. Will the men who have not done this class duty do it at once. Crosby E. Redman, 28 Appleton, is the treasurer.

There are still a few Juniors who have not yet sat for their pictures, and they are urged to make an appointment at Webber's through Matthews '18 as soon as possible. Some of the pictures have appeared already. The season for group pictures will be here shortly.

The Stratford Co. of Boston, publishers of "A College Anthology for 1915-16," are now preparing a similar book for the 1916-17 college verse.

Any student who desires may submit to the publishers a poem for consideration. None received after May 15, 1917, however, will be considered.

Scholarships will appear this week. They are distributed among classes as follows: 31 to Seniors, 38 to Juniors, 46 to Sophomores and 51 to Freshmen. In considering the amounts of scholarships, students should remember that many scholarships have conditions attached so that the reward is often governed by locality and other features.

The seven dentists of Brunswick have offered their services to the Tenth Company, C.A.C., in case of war. The doctors will give as many days' service as required to make sure that every man in the ranks leaves Brunswick with his teeth in good condition. Last Wednesday evening the dentists visited the company drill, and made a free inspection of the teeth of all men present.

The Alumni Association of Deering High School at Portland are soon to present "Jack Straw," so well known to the upper classmen. Gordon P. Floyd '15 is to play the title role, and Dwight H. Sayward '16 is to assume the part of "Lord Serlo." "Jack Straw" was the play staged by the Masque and Gown on their trips in the winter and on Ivy Day, 1915. The Deering High Alumni Association annually gives a scholarship of fifty dollars to some prospective college student in the High School graduating class. L. F. Wallace ex-'18 was the first recipient of this scholarship.

## The Other Colleges

The Amherst Chapter of Delta Upsilon recently dedicated their new house.

Over ten thousand feet of moving picture film were taken at the 200th anniversary pageant at Yale this fall.

For the first time the scholarship average of the fraternity men at Brown University is higher than that of their non-fraternity colleagues, according to the recent report of Dean Randall of that institution. Only five of the twenty fraternities failed to surpass the average of the non-fraternity men.

The "Rough Riders" of Spanish War fame are making plans for the building and endowing of a Commons Hall at Norwich University. The proposed new building will cost about \$150,000 and will include a gymnasium, dining-hall, faculty offices, and a riding-hall and stables.

The athletic board at Maine is working out a new plan whereby all the student managers will be Seniors. It is maintained that a Senior is more capable of handling a team than is a Junior,

and it is hoped that a better system of management will be obtained by the new plan.

Professor James C. Egbert, director of the extension teaching department of Columbia, proposes in his annual report that that institution establish mail courses in the college subjects.

A new ore found recently in British Columbia by Professor Alexander H. Phillips of Princeton, has been named "Hibbenite," in honor of the college's president.

According to the latest catalogue of the living graduates of Yale, there are now 19,316 living holders of Yale degrees. Of this number, over sixty per cent reside in the North Atlantic States, and over one-fifth of all the living Yale graduates are practising in the law.

Middlebury College has recently organized a Winter Club along the lines of the Dartmouth Outing Club.

The first debate between two colleges whose students are of the opposite sexes will take place this winter between the teams of Vassar and Colgate.

Yale will hold its first Preparatory School Alumni Day on Saturday, May 10, for the purpose of allowing the members of the college to visit the schools from which they graduated.

A new paper, *The Octopus*, edited by the class of journalism at the University of Oregon made its initial appearance recently. The name *Octopus* was selected as Webster's definition of this creature suggests the policy that it is to follow. Webster says: "The octopus is a creature of the genus cephalopod, having prehensile suckers or hooks. It swims about rapidly in the water and ejects an ink-like fluid which colors the water when escaping from its enemies."

## RESOLUTIONS

### HALL OF KAPPA OF PSI Upsilon

It is with the deepest regret that the Kappa learns of the death of Brother Frederick John Allen of the Class of 1890.

As a member of the legal profession of this State, Brother Allen was one of its most prominent representatives, and as a member of several sessions of the Maine Legislature he received many honors, the most important of these being the presidency of the Senate. Prominent in fraternal orders, he secured and retained the friendship and respect of his fellow associates.

Loyal to his class, devoted to his College and ever active in behalf of his fraternity, his death means a distinct loss to all who knew him.

Therefore, be it resolved that we, the Kappa

Chapter of Psi Upsilon, do extend our deepest sympathy and regret to his family in this, their hour of bereavement.

FRANK DURHAM HAZELTINE,  
JOHN BOLTON SLOGGETT,  
JAMES FULER INGRAHAM

*For the Chapter.*

### Alumni Notes

'82.—Word has been received of the death of Herbert H. Chase at Los Angeles, Cal. Further announcement will be made.

'98.—Harry C. Knight has been re-elected one of the board of directors of the Southern New England Telephone Company. He was also elected vice-president and general manager.

'98.—Guy H. Sturgis, Maine's new attorney-general, has been elected president of the Lincoln Club of Portland.

M. '13.—Dr. Walter W. Hendee has been transferred from the Eastern Branch of the National Home, D.V.S., where he was third assistant surgeon, to the Central Branch at Dayton, Ohio. In this new position he is to be the second assistant surgeon.

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## THE PRESIDENT'S CHAPEL TALK

"Bowdoin College has always stood for peace wherever honorable peace is possible; for war wherever righteous war is unavoidable. She has a record of noble service in the Civil War when the country needed all every man could give; and an equally noble record of self restraint in the Spanish War when the need was not sufficiently urgent to justify the enlistment of large bodies of students as privates.

"Today the country faces the urgent need of a large number of trained officers. If we are drawn into the present war we shall need them at once. If we take part in any effective league for world peace we shall need their availability, if not their actual service, in the near future.

"Accordingly, not in the excitement of a mass meeting in a hall on a week day, but here in the calm and consecrated atmosphere of the regular Sunday chapel service, Bowdoin College now calls on every student, and the parents of every student, for consecration to the highest service of his country of which he is capable.

"In view of the urgent need of officers, it calls everyone who in vigor of body, alertness of mind, resoluteness of will, feels capable of qualifying for military office, who has no more distinctive line of service, and who can secure his parents' consent, to enroll in the proposed Bowdoin unit of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps.

"It calls on those who can serve the country better in some other way to consecrate themselves to the service of their country in that other way. If the country needed physicians as she needs officers, we should not expect every student to enroll for training to be a physician. For not every student is capable of making a good physician. No more do we expect every member of the College to enroll for training to be a military officer; for not every student is adapted to that service. All that we ask is that in view of the country's need of officers, each student shall consecrate himself to that form of service to his country which represents his greatest contribution. If your consecration takes the form of joining the Reserve Officers' Training Corps, you should realize that it involves monotonous and at the time apparently meaningless and excessive

drudgery; strict obedience to orders for which no reason may be asked or will be given; a moral if not a technical obligation to suffer serious interference with your start in business or profession in case the country needs your services in early manhood; the possible sacrifice of life itself in case the country cannot honorably keep out of war. I state these things not to discourage or frighten you, for I know no worthy son of Bowdoin will be discouraged or frightened by them; but that you may realize the full measure of sacrifice your country calls on you to make, and in full confidence that every man who finds this to be the line of his most effective service to his country will freely make the great sacrifice to which his country and his College unite in calling him."

## THE OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS

On Sunday evening, the Student Body received a communication from the faculty regarding the proposed Officers' Training Corps, and that same night similar communications were sent to the parents. Two plans are outlined, one a two to four year course, beginning next September, and the other an emergency measure providing for a minimum of six hours a week and, if war is imminent in June, attendance at a summer camp. The second course affects the whole College, while the first eliminates the Seniors. At least one hundred enrollments must be assured before further steps can be taken, and even then the establishing of the Harvard emergency plan is by no means certain.

The Vacancy Committee of the College Boards will meet tomorrow, and their approval is necessary. The enrollment blanks must be returned to the Dean before nine o'clock tomorrow morning. A student may enroll for both the first and second plans. No student will be allowed to join the corps until the parental consent is received. The faculty committee who have been investigating the conditions and putting them before the student body are Professor Bell, Professor Nixon, and Professor Langley. The Student Council voted in favor of the plan, and the faculty also were strongly in favor of the move.



The substance of the communication was as follows:

*The members of the faculty of Bowdoin College, in proposing the establishment of an Officers' Training Corps, feel that they are merely fulfilling unquestioned obligations to the Republic under whose protection the college exists, and to the young men who have entrusted themselves to its care. Recent events seem amply to have proved that the future peace, safety, and prosperity of the nation must depend upon its ability to defend itself if attacked. As clearly has it been proved that the first and most essential step in preparedness must be the training of prospective officers. On the efficiency of its officers depends not only the success of an army but the preservation of the lives of its rank and file. Yet efficient officers can be secured only through the thorough and scientific training of intelligent young men in time of peace. It is felt that the colleges rest under special obligation in this matter because of the exceptional opportunities and public benefits which they enjoy, and because of the capacities of the young men whom they instruct. The ideals and traditions of Bowdoin in particular forbid her to lag behind when other institutions are leading the way. No less have the faculty, in taking this step, regard for the interests of the students. So great are the advantages and opportunities for service enjoyed by an officer as compared with a private that the faculty feel themselves bound to every endeavor for securing such advantages and opportunities to those undergraduates who may in the future feel it their duty to serve in one capacity or the other. It will be seen that the active coöperation of at least 100 men and of their parents or guardians must be assured before further steps can be taken.*

#### Plan I

The War Department of the United States has authorized the establishment of Reserve Officers' Training Corps in the colleges of the country. The object of the measure is to train college students—without withdrawing them from college—to perform intelligently the duties of commissioned officers in the military forces of the United States in case a national crisis demands universal conscription, or a large volunteer army, when officers would be needed by the tens of thousands. The main points in the War Department's plan are these:—

1. Enrollment and participation in this training corps involve no specific obligation to serve the country in any manner in time of war. The training is to fit, not to force, an educated man

to take an efficient and important part in the defense of the country.

2. Before such a training corps will be established in a college, the college must assure the Government that at least 100 men—physically fit according to the Plattsburg standard—will take the elementary military courses offered during two academic years.

3. After receiving assurance upon this point, the Government will detail an officer to examine the college, and to determine whether it is a suitable institution in which to establish such a corps.

4. On receiving a favorable report from this examining officer, the Government will detail the necessary officers to conduct military courses in the college.

5. These courses will be eight in number, carrying military instruction through four years, one course during each semester.

6. The first four courses will be elementary in nature, and mostly practical; the last four advanced, and largely theoretical.

7. Students may elect courses 1-4, and then drop military work; but any students who elect course 1 must continue through course 4. Once elected, this two years of military work is a prerequisite for the college degree, unless honorable discharge can be secured.

8. Advanced courses 5-8 are elective only for men of proved proficiency in courses 1-4, who declare their willingness to do additional work in summer military training camps. After this advanced college military training has been received, its recipients, while between the ages of 21-27, may apply to the Government for reserve officers' commissions, and on proper recommendation, and on doing certain further camp duty, may receive such commissions. But it is not obligatory upon men to apply for commissions.

9. Courses 1-4 are at least three hour a week courses; courses 5-8 are at least five hour a week courses. Both elementary and advanced courses provide for lectures, field work, physical and military drill, etc.—provide for both practice and theory.

10. The Government provides all equipment, including uniforms. In case students in courses 5-8 go to summer camps, the Government pays all their necessary expenses. The Government furthermore pays part of the subsistence charges of students pursuing courses 5-8 during their last two years in college. Students must purchase their own military text books.

11. It has not yet been decided whether these military courses may be substituted for gymna-

sium work or for regular academic courses, but it is expected that some fair adjustment will be made.

#### Plan 2

In view of the present national emergency, Harvard University has secured a special form of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps, enabling more than 1000 men there to take, during the second semester of this year, military courses involving nine hours' work per week. This intensive course, together with fifty-eight days of training in camp during the coming summer, will secure for those best qualified commissions in the United States Army. The faculty of Bowdoin College would favor the immediate introduction of somewhat similar intensive training here, and, while it would now be impossible to obtain instructors for more than one-half a semester, or to achieve the same results as at Harvard, a good beginning might be made, and the work of a full semester course probably completed by the end of the term. If Bowdoin undergraduates and their parents share in sufficient number the feeling that the need of the country and the interests of Bowdoin men demand such action, an attempt will be made to operate a second form of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps, in which, as in the form described as Plan 1, no obligation to serve the country in any manner in time of war will be incurred. Plan 2, in fact, is similar to Plan 1 in all save the following respects:—

1. Members agree to devote at least six hours weekly (during such part of this academic year as the course is given) to military instruction unless duly excused.

2. Members agree to attend such camps as may be established under Government supervision, for the training of reserve officers, during the summer of 1917, following the closing of the College, provided all expenses incident thereto are borne by the Government. (It may be added that Capt. Cordier, at Harvard, states that he will not demand summer camp duty unless the nation is at war or on the verge of war, and that he will not demand this camp duty of men who have dependents or who are obliged to earn money for college expenses during the summer. Probably the officer whom Bowdoin may secure would follow the same policy).

3. The course in Plan 2 is complete in itself, open to all classes, and no student who elects this course binds himself to the military work after September, 1917.

It is to be assumed that among the reasons for honorable discharge from this emergency corps would be the students' intention to enlist in any

possible volunteer army, or to enroll in some large training camp conducted entirely by the Government.

While no commission is assured any student save one who applies for it on completion of all the training described in Plan 1, it is clear that in a great emergency, men who had taken the elementary courses spoken of in Plan 1, or who had done the intensive work called for by Plan 2, would, upon application for commissions, have a reasonably good chance of obtaining them.

#### PRESIDENT'S NAME FOR NEW DORMITORY

A letter to the alumni and friends of the College, signed by Dean Sills, president of the General Alumni Association, and by the president and advisory committee of the Alumni Council, has recently been sent out, asking for contributions to the fund of approximately \$80,000 needed for the new dormitory. This amount will provide a suitable dormitory to house sixty-two students. The special fund set aside several years ago by a prominent alumnus has been withdrawn because of its inefficiency to meet present building conditions.

The letter especially proposes that the new dormitory be named "William DeWitt Hyde Hall," in recognition of President Hyde's able and faithful service through more than thirty years. Under his efficient administration the number of professors, the number of students, and the funds of the College have all more than doubled. The Hubbard Library Building, the Walker Art Building, the Searles Science Building, the new gymnasium, the General Thomas W. Hyde Athletic Building, the Dudley Coe Memorial Infirmary, Whittier Field, and all the chapter houses have been built, and the whole tone of the College has been distinctly raised.

#### INFIRMARY WORK PROGRESSING

Work upon the new Coe Infirmary has now reached a point where this structure stands out prominently among the other campus buildings. Although the snow and cold weather of the past three months necessitated the suspension of nearly all exterior work, nevertheless the windows and shutters have been put in place and much of the outside metal work has been completed.

The interior construction has progressed in a similar manner. The metal lathing is in place and fires are constantly kept burning to dry out the building preparatory to the plastering. The heating and ventilating systems are also being installed at present. In all probability the building will be completed by commencement.

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## The Training Corps

We devote the editorial page this week to a consideration of the plan for a Bowdoin Officers' Training Corps, because we believe that that is not only the most vital issue before us at present but that it is also a part of the most vital issue that has been before the country in a half-century and, moreover, that this plan furnishes an invaluable opportunity for Bowdoin men to take a

ing this training corps we shall be carrying out the advice given to the Harvard undergraduates by President Lowell in his appeal for volunteers, a portion of which we quote.

"There may be no war. At the present moment it looks as though war would come. If it does not come, this training can have done you no harm. If it does come, this training will help every man, woman and child in the country. Upon you as officers will depend the lives of men. Every one of you as officers will go forth with the lives of your men depending upon your ability, your quickness of action and thought, upon your ability to diagnose the situation, upon your training.

"It will be up to you as officers to guess—to decide what you will do in an emergency—and now is the time to train yourself to guess correctly."

The contributed editorial which follows represents the feeling of those who have consulted with the War Department and with the authorities at Harvard and who, earnestly and with conviction, have promised their hearty support for the plan presented for our consideration.

## Bowdoin and the Present Crisis

No serious-minded Bowdoin man can keep the present crisis from his mind. To conservative and well-informed minds a declaration of war by the United States against Germany is only a matter of days. Such a declaration by this country with its pitifully small standing army and valiant but limited militia can mean only one thing—conscription. The country with one accord will look to its colleges and universities for officers who shall train the men summoned to the colors. What part shall Bowdoin play in the game—our College with its glorious record of sacrifice in times of national peril? Today can we look on calmly, dulled by that unfortunate lethargy which has of late pervaded our campus, while institutions like Harvard and others, anticipating the near future, are drilling over a thousand men nine hours a week in the rudiments of officership? Such an attitude is entirely incompatible with the character of Bowdoin men who play the game hard and squarely.

The time for action has come. Professors Bell, Nixon and Langley of the Faculty Committee on military training, after conferences with the military authorities and leaders in charge of the present movement at Harvard, have brought forward for the serious consideration of Bowdoin men two plans. The first provides for a two years' course in military tactics both



in the field and class room with the possibility of credits being given toward a degree. This plan, not practicable in the light of present conditions, we may pass over to a consideration of the second proposal. This is the "Emergency Plan" and demands the immediate consideration and, we believe, the hearty support of the undergraduates. The main points in the plan are as follows: each undergraduate with the consent of his parents may enroll himself in the Bowdoin Officers' Training Corps which, if supported by at least one hundred men, will be under the supervision of an efficient army officer, undoubtedly a West Point man. A man who joins the corps will be under no more obligation to the Government than is any American citizen. The plan explicitly provides for voluntary service with no strings attached. All uniforms, guns and equipment will be furnished by the War Department. The work, commencing at once and continuing throughout the present College year, is to be supplemented, in case the country is actually in war or on the verge of it, by two months' training in summer military camps, supported in every detail by the Government. It is possible that exemptions from camp service may be secured as at Harvard, so that if a man has people dependent upon him or has to earn money for college expenses, he might be released from such further service if the country were not at war.

Such is the opportunity for purely voluntary service absolutely free from future obligation. It is truly an opportunity, for indeed in the event of conscription is not the life of an officer, with its privileges, its chances for real brain work and leadership, infinitely superior to the nonentical, mechanical existence of the private soldier? If universal service comes, Bowdoin men with such training would be allowed to attend Government officers' training camps and would be in line for commissions. The entire scheme has been discussed about the Campus; representatives of each fraternity have heard it first hand from the Faculty Committee; the Student Council has faced the issue squarely and come out unqualifiedly in favor of it; letters have been sent to the parents of Bowdoin students and enrolment blanks are in the hands of each undergraduate. The whole idea is not the product of hysterical minds; it is a sane plan worked out on a conservative basis. The country is facing the greatest crisis in its history. We're not "too proud to fight" for a worthy cause. Let's play the game!

C. H. C.

#### ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF AMBULANCE FUNDS

The following letter has been received by Dean Sills in acknowledgment of the funds for the Maine ambulance. The funds for the second ambulance are already coming in.

Boston, February 23, 1917.

My Dear Mr. Sills,

"Knowing, as you do, the recent growth and needs of the Field Service, you must realize how truly grateful we are for so fine a tribute of friendship as this donation of an ambulance and its maintenance. We have already sent record of this car to our headquarters in Paris, and feel sure that it will be sent to the front as expeditiously as possible. We have requested that it be named the 'State of Maine, ambulance, and have recorded the gift as from citizens of Maine and alumni of Bowdoin College.

"It may interest you to hear that of the 120 men going over during the past three weeks and the coming two weeks, only eight have given out. While it is very natural that a man should think it necessary to stay in his own country in case of war, the present circumstances and situation, it seems to me, fully justify a man in feeling the matter to be at least an optional one as regards moral obligation. Since we have so vast a population here, and such great riches, and are in no immediate danger of invasion, it would be a particularly inglorious deed to withdraw from France these few Americans, to whom she has paid the tribute of dependence. Of course, after the six months' service, should these men feel that they could serve to better purposes by coming back here and volunteering in some other way, their decision would be absolutely logical and just, but for the present we sincerely hope that the men of this service, or those who contemplate going over, will realize the importance of that trust they have accepted, and fulfill their obligation. Should any man turn to you for advice on this point, I hope you may feel justified in advising him not to fail us—or rather not to fail France, and our service to her which, by its two years' record, has proven itself worthy of some sacrifice."

Very truly yours,

HENRY D. SLEEPER.

#### M. I. T. DEFEATS RELAY TEAM

In a very exciting relay race at the Armory Meet at Hartford, Conn., Bowdoin was defeated by the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in the fast time of 3 minutes, 37 seconds. Harris led his man, Doon, for the first lap, but Doon went by Harris on the second lap and gradually increased



his lead until he gave Ornom a ten-yard lead over Siminton. The same distance was maintained for that quarter. Cleaves cut down Sale's lead of ten yards by two yards with superb running, and Scrammon held the distance throughout the last quarter against Turner. Bowdoin's time was only beaten by Holy Cross, Dartmouth, Harvard and Tech. Harris won his heat in the 300-yard dash, but was disqualified in the final. Cleaves and Turner entered in the 600 yard dash but failed to land any places.

#### Summary:

M. I. T. (Doon, Ornom, Sale, Scrammon) beat Bowdoin (Harris, Siminton, Cleaves, Turner). Time, 3 min., 37 sec.

### SPRINGFIELD WINS FENCING MATCH

An athletic carnival took place in the Gym Saturday evening at eight o'clock, in the presence of about one hundred and seventy-five persons.

The first fencing match that has taken place at Bowdoin in two years was the main event of the evening. In this match Springfield Y.M.C.A. College won over Bowdoin by a score of 7-2. The individual star throughout the match was Captain Rowley of Springfield, although Schlosberg showed up well and won the two points, Bowdoin's only score.

#### The summary:—

Todd (S) defeated Mooers (B) 5-3; Schlosberg (B) defeated Hammerstein (S) 5-4, (2 ties); Rowley (S) defeated Gray (B) 6-0; Hammerstein (S) defeated Hargraves (B) 4-2, (1 tie); Schlosberg (B) defeated Rowley (S) 6-5; Todd (S) defeated Gray (B) 5-3; Rowell (S) defeated Hargraves (B) 6-3; Todd (S) defeated Schlosberg (B) 5-3; Hammerstein (S) defeated Gray (B) 2-1, (1 tie).

Springfield Y. M. C. A. College 7, Bowdoin College 2. Referee, H. L. Hargraves; Timer, D. W. Philbrick '17. Scorer, N. U. McConaughy. Judges Dr. L. S. Lippincott and Adolph Anderson.

Previous to the fencing match there were several wrestling, boxing and tumbling exhibitions. The first two events were wrestling bouts. The first bout was between Young '18 and McPherson '19 and resulted in a draw. In the next event although Rhoads '20 had the advantage of weight over Zeitler '20, the latter by a "half-nelson" downed Rhoads in four and a half minutes.

These events were followed by some tumbling by a team composed of R. H. Cobb '17, Lovejoy '17, McConaughy '17 and Philipps '17, and then Kimball, Medic '18, last year's gym instructor, and Anderson, Medic '20, the present instructor,

performed some wonderful stunts on the horse, swinging rings, horizontal bar and parallels. Finally Fenning '17 and Sullivan '20 staged another of their interesting three round bouts.

### STANLEY AND EDWARDS SAIL

Everett L. Stanley '18 and John R. Edwards '18 are the only ones of those planning to enter the French Ambulance Corps, who have actually left this country and John R. Houghton '20 is the only one of the students in College who has definitely decided to go across. Stanley and Edwards left New York Wednesday, February 14, on the Espagne, which was expected to dock at Bordeaux sometime yesterday.

Houghton '20 has left College and will sail from New York Saturday, March 3, on the Rochambeau, bound for Bordeaux. The decision of many men who were thinking of entering the Ambulance Corps, to remain in the United States is almost entirely due to the critical condition in which this country is placed just now and the possible need of these men for the country's service.

### M. I. A. A. NOT YET REORGANIZED

The annual meeting of the Maine Intercollegiate Track Association was held Saturday at Waterville. The principal question discussed was whether the Association will remain as at present or go back to the old system, the method in which football and baseball are now carried on. No conclusion was reached, however, and another meeting will be held. A change from the present organization seems inevitable. The meeting consisted of the present members of the Association and present managers of track at the four Maine colleges, Stone of Bates, president of the Association, Little of Colby, vice-president, Haskell of Maine, secretary, and Marston of Bowdoin, treasurer were at the meeting as well as the present managers: Walker of Bowdoin; Dunham of Maine; Davis of Bates, and Paterson of Colby. Other men present were Dr. Whittier of Bowdoin; Dr. Young of Maine; Pomeroy of Bates, and Parmenter of Colby.

### MUSIC FOR NEXT VESPERS

Prelude, Lenten Supplication,	Clement Lorét
Gloria Patri,	Greatorex
Hymn,	
Anthem, "Just as I am without one Plea,"	Spence
Choral Amen,	Anglica
Postlude, Solemn March,	Noble

## NEGATIVES WIN BRADBURY DEBATE

The Bradbury debates were held last Friday afternoon at 2.00 o'clock, and Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock, in Memorial Hall. The question for the debate was: "Resolved, that the United States could better protect the Western Hemisphere by an agreement with Great Britain than by the present policy known as the Monroe Doctrine."

The affirmative was upheld on Friday afternoon by Greene '19, Coombs '18, and Foulke '19; and on Friday evening by Chadbourne '19, Bowdoin '17, and Coburn '19. The negative was supported on Friday afternoon by Badger '20, Lane '17, and Jacob '17 and on Friday evening by P. C. Young '18, Paul '19, and Moran '17.

On both occasions the debate was won by the team upholding the negative. The first prize of forty dollars was given to the negative team composed of Young, Paul and Moran, while the twenty dollar award went to the other negative team composed of Badger, Lane and Jacob.

These debates being trials for the intercollegiate debates, the following men were selected to represent Bowdoin in the intercollegiate debates between Wesleyan and Hamilton: Bowdoin '17, Jacob '17, Lane '17, Moran '17, Young '18 and Foulke '19, alternates, Coburn '19 and Badger '20.

The speaking in both debates was unusually fluent and vigorous for the Bradbury debate. The decisions were divided and close. The danger of ignoring the question, which this year is very great, was not entirely avoided. The faithful work already performed and the experience and general excellence of the men selected promises well for the intercollegiate debates. The teams set to work at once on Saturday arranging for the present a tentative division into two teams. Study and practice will continue virtually every week day until the debates. Thursday evening, March 22, Hamilton will meet Bowdoin in Memorial Hall at 8.00 p. m., where Bowdoin will uphold the negative. Bowdoin will meet Wesleyan at Middletown, Conn., where Bowdoin will uphold the affirmative.

## CANADIANS AGAIN WIN IN HOCKEY

The Brunswick Hockey Club played the Canadian Club seven at the Portland Country Club rink on Washington's Birthday. The score was 3 to 1 in favor of the Canadians. The game was closely contested throughout, as is evidenced by the final score, and the fact that neither team scored until the second period. As

usual Phillips played his snappy game at goal and succeeded in stopping a regular volley of drives.

Melaugh, who played a passing game throughout the first period, changed his tactics at the beginning of the second and as a result he caged the puck twice in short order. Immediately after this, Delehanty succeeded in slipping a long drive by Currey, the Canadian goal tender, for the final count of the game. Following the game a luncheon was served by the Country Club to the members of both teams.

## Summary:

CANADIAN CLUB	BRUNSWICK CLUB
Gunn, lw	lw, Little
Kennedy, rw	rw, McCulloch
Hall, c	c, Delehanty
Currey, r	r, Burr
Melaugh, cp	cp, MacInninch
Irvin, p	p, Bradford
Rowse, g	g, Phillips
Score, Canadian Club 3, Brunswick Club 1.	
Goals, Melaugh 2, Hall 1, Delehanty 1. Referee, Clapp. Time, 20-25 minute periods. Timer, Garland.	

Inasmuch as hockey is not an official sport under college rules, the faculty and Athletic Council have forbidden the club to use the name of Bowdoin, and the team retains its old appellation.

## FRESHMEN GO DRY

The Freshmen held a meeting in Memorial Hall Saturday noon. L. W. Brown was elected manager of the class track team. The question of a wet or dry banquet was brought up and discussed. A victory was won for the drys by a vote of 59 to 23. A motion was made and seconded that deputies be appointed to assist in collecting the class tax which is long past due. The motion was carried and power given the secretary and treasurer to appoint his deputies.

## SOCIOLOGY OPPORTUNITY FOR 1918 MAN

Appreciating the important part college men are taking in social work and civic affairs, and desirous of introducing them, before graduation to the social problems of New York, the Charity Organization Society of that city has extended the following invitation:

A picked member from the Class of 1918, Bowdoin College, is invited to spend a month, following July 4th, in New York City as a guest of the organization. The delegate from Bowdoin would be one of a dozen, selected from

various colleges, six men and six women, who would thus gain an intimate working knowledge of the civic and charitable organizations of America's largest city. The other men's colleges selected are Amherst, Dartmouth, Williams, Haverford, and Hamilton.

The work mapped out for the month is very interesting and not easy. There will be lectures, discussions and actual charitable work, carried on under the careful supervision of charitable organization visitors. Introductions to various institutions such as the National Association for Tuberculosis Prevention, the National Child Labor Committee and the National Committee for Mental Hygiene will also comprise a portion of the work.

#### BOWDOIN STILL TENTH IN RIFLE TOURNEY

In the third week of intercollegiate rifle shooting, the Bowdoin team made a total score of 872, which keeps it in the tenth place among the 38 colleges competing. Bowdoin still remains at the head of its class, and from present indications will be advanced to Class A or B next year. The individual scores of the Bowdoin riflemen were:

Johnson .....	181
Tillson .....	178
Schlosberg .....	178
Ellms .....	169
Hurlin .....	166
Total .....	872

Among the other New England colleges in the shoot were Dartmouth, which made 605, Williams, 793, and the University of Maine, 797.

#### BANGOR ALUMNI BANQUET

Last Monday night the Bowdoin Alumni Association of Bangor met for its annual banquet in the Bangor City Hall. Frederick W. Adams '89, president of the Bowdoin Club of Bangor, presided. The speaker of the evening was President Hyde. Speaking of Bowdoin's unique system of education, he said that its success was due primarily to the earnestness and enthusiasm of the faculty. An interesting point was that Bowdoin's endowment of \$2,400,000 is equaled in proportion to size of the college, only by Haverford and that the amount spent per capita on education is surpassed by Amherst alone. The President praised in generous terms the generosity of Thomas Upham Coe of Bangor for his gift to the College of the new Infirmary. After President Hyde's speech, the motion was made and unanimously carried that the new dormitory

should be called the William DeWitt Hyde Hall.

Among those present at the dinner were: Frederick W. Adams '89; Lester Adams '07; Taber D. Bailey '96; Frank L. Bass '07; Elmer T. Boyd '95; Roland E. Bragg '01; William M. Brown '81; Dr. Bertram L. Bryant '95; Clyde R. Chapman '12; Dr. James F. Cox '04; John H. Davis '86; George F. Eaton '14; Charles A. Flagg '94; Frank A. Floyd '73; Walter N. Emerson '11; Lee T. Gray '02; Louis C. Hatch '95; Dr. Pearl T. Haskell '93; Dr. Harry D. McNeil '13; Dr. Frank H. Mead '95; Harold R. Nutter '05; Clarence W. Peabody '93; Leo W. Pratt '14; Dr. Daniel A. Robinson '73; Dr. Harrison L. Robinson '11; Edgar M. Simpson '94; Frederick B. Stimpson '12; Amos E. Small '95; Donald F. Snow '01; Dr. Joseph F. Starrett '98; Dr. Herbert E. Thompson '03; Dr. Percy Warren '79; Ashmead White '12; Joseph C. White '11; Dr. Allan Woodcock '12; Dr. Lyman Wormwood '98; all of Bangor; Rev. Edgar M. Cousins '77 of Brewer; Moses T. Phillips '03 of Brewer; Dr. James P. Russell '97 of Brewer; Frank H. Thomas '08 of Brewer; John A. Harlow '03 of Old Town; Frank J. Small '97 of Old Town.

#### MUSICAL CLUBS BACK FROM THE EAST

Four concerts made the past week a busy one for the members of the Musical Clubs, and the reports from the various cities indicate successful performances. The opening concert was at Bangor, Monday evening. The members were present at the banquet of the Bangor Alumni, and the concert was a prominent feature of their annual meeting. The City Hall was crowded for the concert and a dance followed the selections of the clubs.

Tuesday evening found the clubs at Dexter, where the concert was given under the auspices of the seniors of Dexter High School. Again, the concert was well attended. There was no concert on Wednesday evening, but the members of the clubs were entertained by the Millburn Club of Skowhegan, and on the following evening performed in that city. The members spoke enthusiastically of their cordial reception by the citizens of Bangor, Dexter, and Skowhegan.

Topsham Town Hall was the scene of the Friday evening concert and there was a good College contingent in attendance. The next dates are for appearances at Rockland next Friday evening and Warren Saturday evening.

The Boston Alumni are planning to have the pop concert of the clubs at the Hotel Somerset on March 23, a repetition of last year's success. The committee of arrangements has Ellis

Spear, Jr., '98, as chairman, and plans are laid to have alumni from all parts of Massachusetts in attendance. Since the concert comes during the spring vacation, there will be an opportunity for the undergraduates from the Bay State to attend.

The program as has been arranged for the clubs is a splendid one this year and the first concerts have been very successful. The clubs show the results of the extra drilling which they have had this year, and the performance reflects credit on Professor Wass and the leaders as well as upon the entire clubs.

#### RIFLE MATCH WITH SKOWHEGAN

Friday evening the Skowhegan Rifle Club will compete with the Bowdoin team. Twenty men will enter on each side, the ten highest scores to be counted. Five shots will be taken standing and five prone. The standard intercollegiate 50-foot target will be used.

Matches are also pending with the Waterville and Bangor rifle clubs.

#### CALENDAR

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27.

5 P. M. Glee Club rehearsal, Music Room.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28.

5 P. M. Mandolin Club rehearsal, Memorial Hall.

THURSDAY, MARCH 1.

5 P. M. Glee Club rehearsal, Music Room.

FRIDAY, MARCH 2.

Musical Clubs at Rockland.

SATURDAY, MARCH 3.

Musical Clubs at Warren.

MONDAY, MARCH 5.

7.30 P. M. Lecture by Professor Ham, Union.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7.

Bowdoin 1920 Relay vs. Bates 1920 Relay, at Lewiston.

THURSDAY, MARCH 8.

7.30 P. M. Lecture by Professor Houston, Chemical Lecture Room.

Meeting of Chemical Club.

FRIDAY, MARCH 9.

Meeting of Classical Club, Union.

Sophomore-Freshman Meet.

FRIDAY, MARCH 16.

Inter-class meet.

THURSDAY, MARCH 22.

Intercollegiate Debates:

Bowdoin, neg. vs. Hamilton, Memorial Hall.

Bowdoin, aff. vs. Wesleyan at Middletown.

FRIDAY, MARCH 23.

4.30 P. M. Spring vacation begins.

Musical Clubs at Boston.

TUESDAY, APRIL 3.

8.30 A. M. Classes resume.

MONDAY, APRIL 2.

Baseball practice begins.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11.

Baseball, Bowdoin vs. Harvard at Cambridge.

### On the Campus

Courses in mechanical drawing and surveying will be omitted in 1917-18.

Charles Pettingill '98 and W. C. Lippincott '13 were on the campus last week.

Another informal dance will soon be held in the Union. The date will be posted on the bulletin board.

Freshmen are urged to try out at once for the 1920 relay team, which will race the Bates Freshmen at Lewiston on March 7.

Professor Files delivered an address before the Eastport Automobile Association at their annual banquet, held last Friday evening.

Students desiring to take the examination for the second lieutenancy in the Marine Corps will find the necessary information at the Dean's office.

Armed guards have been placed on the main line railroad trestle across the Androscoggin, and there must be no more crossing the bridge on foot.

A number of students took advantage of last Thursday's recess and attended the Governor's Ball at Augusta, while a large number went to the Portland Automobile Show.

The lecture which has been given in recent years by Dr. Frederick Gerrish of the Medical School on "Health and Hygiene of Sex," is about to be published by Richard H. Badger of Boston.

### Alumni Notes

M-'03.—The wedding of Dr. Harry A. Moody and Miss Margaret E. Davis of Fairfield, Me., took place Wednesday, Feb. 7. Mrs. Moody is a graduate nurse of the Eastern Maine General Hospital of Bangor in the class of 1914. The couple are to reside in Rumford, Me.

'10.—R. Edgar Fisher has recently been elected to the position of superintendent of schools in Stratford, Conn.

'11.—The disappearance of Melville A. Gould of Skowhegan, Me. which took place in New York City over two weeks ago, still remains a mystery. He was visiting the city with a friend and stepped out of the hotel for a minute. No word has since been heard from him and it is



believed that he is ill in some hospital and is unable to divulge his identity.

M.-'15.—Dr. Francis S. Echols, of West Hartford, Conn., who has been a member of the staff of Middlesex Hospital, London, for fourteen months, returned to this country February 7. He was twice near death during Zeppelin raids in London last summer.

'16.—Paul K. Niven has entered the resort hotel business and is at the Highland Pines Inn, Southern Pines, North Carolina.

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## PROVISIONAL COMMENCEMENT APPOINTMENTS

The following thirty-three of the eighty-one Seniors, having three-fourths A's or B's, have been awarded provisional commencement parts:

Erik Achorn, L. W. Babcock, B. W. Bartlett, L. A. Biggers, E. H. Blanchard, C. W. Bowdoin, B. Campbell, P. H. Cobb, C. H. Crosby, L. F. Dow, T. B. Fobes, E. C. Fuller, G. E. Greeley, W. D. Harrison, F. W. Jacob, D. A. Lane, N. C. Little, N. U. McConaughy, P. H. McIntire, H. D. Miller, E. C. Moran, F. E. Noyes, J. C. Oliver, D. W. Philbrick, F. E. Phillips, L. A. Ramsdell, Forbes Rickard, C. K. Ross, C. P. Spalding, K. G. Stone, J. W. Tuttle, H. S. White, F. W. Willey.

## THE AMBULANCE FUND

Dean Sills last evening told of the money which has been raised toward the second Maine ambulance, and during the next two days the students of Bowdoin are called upon to contribute for the completion of the necessary amount. Bowdoin has an especial interest in the ambulance corps, for representatives of the College have done excellent work in the service. Pike, Sewall, and Manderson have already spent the six months in France, and the news of the safe arrival of the Espagne last Monday meant that Edwards and Stanley have arrived safely in Bordeaux. Even now, Houghton is on the Rochambeau, heading for the war zone. The Ambulance Corps thus has a distinct interest for Bowdoin men.

In the communication published last week, Mr. Sleeper gave a patriotic reason for the support of the ambulance corps: "Since we have so vast a population here," he said "and such great riches, and are in no immediate danger of invasion, it would be a particularly inglorious deed to withdraw from France these few Americans to whom she has paid the tribute of dependence." The new Maine ambulance will be driven by a Bowdoin student, just as Houghton is to drive the first car which the committee has raised funds for. There are students in each house who are collecting the contributions, and the Student Body of Bowdoin is urged to show the same gener-

osity in this Bowdoin enterprise, which the alumni and friends showed in financing the first and part of the second ambulances.

## TRAINING CORPS PROGRESSING

The Reserve Officers' Training Corps has received the sanction of the Committee on Vacancies of the College Boards, and not only did they assent to the plan, but voted that if Plan 2 is not established, a military instructor will be hired by the College. With this backing, the committee has communicated with the War Department at Washington, relative to the establishing of courses under both plans, and now the College is awaiting the decisions of the military officials.

A voluntary drill corps, limited to 120 students, is being organized. A group has already been drilling two nights a week, and it will be enlarged to two full companies. Each fraternity may enter half as many members as enrolled in Plan 2.

The enrolment in the courses has been encouraging. Up to Saturday afternoon, 201 men had signed up for Plan 2, while 140 students from the lower classes had enrolled for Plan 1. In Plan 2, the Seniors had 41, the Juniors 49, the Sophomores 50, and the Freshmen 61. In Plan 1, there were 58 Sophomores and 82 Freshmen. There have been other enrolments since that time and the committee is receiving new signatures every day. A joint class meeting of 1919 and 1920 was held Friday night and the lower class men were addressed by several students. As a result over 20 enrolments more were received for Plan 1. The success of the training corps depends on the interest which the members of the two lower classes show for the first plan.

Parental consent is necessary before a student can join the course. About 25 men in this list will be debarred on account of this, and at least 20 parents have given consent for sons who have not yet enrolled.

The students enrolled up to Saturday afternoon were as follows:

### PLAN 1.

From 1919: Angus, Avery, Barton, Berry, Blanchard, Burleigh, Canavello, Cole, Farnham,

Farrar, Fay, Finn, Foulke, Gardner, Gorham, Graves, Grover, Hall, Ham, Hargraves, Haynes, Hersum, Higgins, A. D. Holbrook, E. W. Holbrook, Hutchinson, Ingraham, Irving, F. O. Johnson, Kern, Leavitt, Leach, Leighton, McDonald, McGorrrill, Martin, Merrill, Minot, J. M. Morrison, Newell, Patrick, Paul, Pearson, Perkins, Rollins, Sawyer, Simmons, Small, Smethurst, L. O. Smith, R. W. Smith, Sprague, R. A. Stevens, Sylvester, Tebbetts, P. S. Turner, R. S. Turner—58.

From 1920: R. H. Adams, S. B. Adams, E. A. Allen, G. H. Allen, Asnault, Atwood, Avery, Badger, A. R. Bartlett, Benton, Boardman, L. W. Brown, Campbell, Cate, Chick, Clapham, Cleaves, Cook, Coombs, Cousins, Crossman, W. W. Curtis, Jr., Davies, A. L. Davis, Delehanty, Demuth, Dennett, Doe, Draper, Drummond, Dunbar, Ellms, Emerson, Eustis, Flanders, Foster, Goodhue, Goodrich, Gordon, Guptill, Haddock, A. W. Hall, O. G. Hall, Hanson, E. H. Higgins, C. S. Houston, G. G. Houston, B. S. P. Jones, Jordan, Kileski, Kirk, Leech, Longren, Look, McWilliams, Masoh, Maxfield, L. B. Merrill, Millard, Moore, Mundie, Norwood, D. L. Noyes, Palmer, Randall, Redman, Rhoads, Richan, Robbins, Rounds, Sewall, C. A. Skillin, C. E. Small, M. H. Smith, P. W. Smith, Sprince, W. H. Sturgis, Sullivan, Taylor, Tillson, Tupper, Wentworth, Wood, Zeitler, Sullivan—82.

#### PLAN 2.

From 1917: C. E. Allen, Bartlett, Bingham, Blanchard, Bond, Bradford, Burleigh, Chapman, P. H. Cobb, R. H. Cobb, Cormack, Crosby, Dow, Gillespie, Glidden, Greeley, Humphrey, Jacob, Kent, E. A. King, Little, Lovejoy, McConaughy, McNaughton, Maguire, Marston, Moran, Nute, Oliver, Owen, Philbrick, Phillips, Rickard, Ross, Sampson, Shumway, Stone, Stride, Sutcliffe, White, Willey—41.

From 1918: Albion, A. L. Allen, Babbitt, Bagley, Bigelow, Call, Colter, Coombs, Daggett, DeMott, Farmer, Freeman, Freese, A. S. Gray, J. E. Gray, J. P. Hamlin, O. L. Hamlin, Hanson, Haskell, Hazeltine, Hildreth, Hurlin, P. M. Johnson, MacCormick, MacDonald, McQuillan, Manderson, Matthews, Murch, Norton, Palmer, Parker, R. H. Peacock, R. W. Pendleton, A. L. Prosser, Reynolds, Roper, Schlosberg, Sloggett, Spear, Stearns, B. A. Thomas, Van Wart, Walker, Wass, M. A. Wood, Woodman, Woodward, H. A. Young—49.

From 1919: Angus, Blanchard, Burleigh, Canavello, Caspar, Chadbourne, J. F. Clark, Coburn, L. W. Doherty, Farnham, Fay, Gardner, Graves, Grover, F. P. Hall, Ham, Higgins, A.

D. Holbrook, E. W. Holbrook, Hutchinson, Ingraham, F. O. Johnson, Kern, Leighton, McClane, Martin, Merrill, Minot, F. B. Morrison, J. M. Morrison, Newell, Patrick, Paul, Perkins, Rollins, Safford, Sawyer, Simmons, R. T. Small, R. W. Smith, Sprague, R. A. Stevens, A. B. Sullivan, Sylvester, Tebbetts, P. S. Turner, R. S. Turner, Vance, E. M. Whitcomb, Tillson—50.

From 1920: S. B. Adams, G. H. Allen, Atwood, Avery, Badger, A. R. Bartlett, Berry, Burr, Chick, Clapham, Cleaves, H. B. Coombs, Davies, A. L. Davis, Delehanty, Dennett, Draper, Dunbar, Ellms, Emerson, Eustis, Flanders, Foster, Goodrich, Gordon, Guptill, Haddock, Haggerty, O. G. Hall, Hanson, E. H. Higgins, C. S. Houston, G. G. Houston, Kileski, Kirk, Lamb, Leach, Low, Mason, Maxfield, L. B. Merrill, Montgomery, Noyes, Randall, Redman, Rhoads, Richan, Robbins, Sewall, C. A. Skillin, R. D. Skillings, C. E. Small, M. H. Smith, S. A. Smith, Sturgis, J. J. Sullivan, Thebeau, Tibbetts, Wadsworth, Whitney, York, Zeitler—61.

#### VETERAN FAVORS TRAINING CORPS

The following letter was received by President Hyde last week, with reference to the training corps:

Boothbay Harbor, Me., Feb. 28, 1917.

Mr. President Hyde:

I wish to acknowledge, and to thank you for your patriotic invitation to parents and guardians to strengthen the hands of our Government at this time, by personal sacrifices. The request is most timely.

Respectfully yours,

G. B. KENNISTON,

Class of 1861.

I was a prisoner in Libby the day my class graduated.

#### LOWER CLASS TRACK MEET SATURDAY

The Sophomore-Freshman Meet will be held Saturday afternoon instead of Friday as was originally planned. Jack Magee held a preliminary meet to try out material Saturday afternoon, and some very satisfactory results were obtained. The Freshmen are picked quite generally as the winners for the lower class meet, but all four classes will make good scores in the meet on March 16. Savage made good time on the hurdles Saturday, equaling his former record, and good times were made in several other events.

There is plenty of good material in the Freshman class, and they will make a strong showing against Bates in the relay Wednesday. A "dark horse" in the meet was Johnson '19 who took

third in the three-quarter mile. This is a new event, which probably will not be included in either of the regular meets. Foulke '19 made a good distance in the broad jump. Rhoads '20 took third in the 36 pound weight, and is one of the best of the Freshmen weight men, now that Houghton has gone to France. Captain Sampson made a good record in the pole vault, and fast time was made in the quarter.

#### INFORMAL DANCE ST. PATRICK'S DAY

The third of the informal dances which were inaugurated in the Union this winter, will be held on Saturday evening, March 17. The first two dances have been pronounced successes, and this third will come at a most opportune date. Similar conditions will exist to those at the other dances, though the number may not be limited to 50 couples.

#### MUSICAL CLUBS IN BOSTON MARCH 23

Bowdoin men should not forget that one of the most important of the Musical Club concerts occurs this month. March 23 is the date and the Hotel Somerset, Boston, Mass., is the place. As many of the alumni will be present from all parts of Massachusetts, any of the undergraduates who can attend should find this a most enjoyable affair.

#### U. Q. INITIATES

"U. Q.," the Freshman society, held its annual initiation Tuesday evening, following a banquet at the Eagle. The present members from 1920 are: S. B. Adams, G. H. Allen, Atwood, Burns, Cate, Cleaves, Delehanty, Drummond, Hay, Kileski, Lamb, Moore, Rhoads, and Saxon. Allen, Atwood, Cleaves and Rhoads were initiated by the Sophomores during the first semester, and the other ten men were initiated last Tuesday.

#### BURR ELECTED HOCKEY CAPTAIN

The Brunswick Hockey Club has probably played its last game of the season, though a return game with Bates is possible. Captain Charles B. MacIninch '19, has left College, and will probably return next year. Robert T. Burr '19, was elected captain for the coming year. He has played a fast game at rover all the season. The Hockey Club has failed to receive official recognition, though there is a possibility that next season will see it at least a minor varsity sport on a par with fencing.

During the season five games have been played, two with Bates, two with the Canadian Club of Portland, and one with the Portland Country

Club. The Brunswick Club was victorious over the Portland Country Club, won and lost from Bates, and lost two games to the Canadians. Only one game has been played on the College rink, that being with Bates on the day of the Sophomore Hop. Games were pending with Maine, M. I. T. and Exeter but did not materialize.

#### PROFESSOR HAM SPOKE LAST EVENING

Professor Ham told of his six months in Russia and of the work which is being done there, in a lecture at the Union last evening. This second lecture of the Christian Association course called out an excellent audience, and the professor's story of his experiences while connected with the American embassy at Petrograd were most interesting. This evening, Professor Ham will speak before the Deutscher Verein at their meeting at the Phi Theta Upsilon house.

#### RIFLEMEN EASILY DEFEAT SKOWHEGAN

Bowdoin College defeated the Skowhegan Rifle Club 934 to 881 in a match shot on their respective ranges yesterday. Johnson and Schlosberg were the individual stars of the meet and the shooting of the collegians was far ahead of Skowhegan. The score:

#### BOWDOIN

	Off-hand Prone		Total
Johnson '18 .....	48	50	98
Schlosberg '18 .....	47	50	97
Tillson '20 .....	48	49	97
Burleigh '19 .....	46	48	94
Hurlin '18 .....	43	50	93
Professor Langley .....	44	48	93
McConaughy '17 .....	41	50	91
Ellms '20 .....	41	49	90
Professor Nixon .....	41	48	89
Total .....			934

#### SKOWHEGAN

	Off-hand Prone		Total
Moore .....	45	48	93
Parsons .....	43	48	91
Wells .....	41	48	89
Goff .....	42	47	89
Danforth .....	42	45	87
Tuscan .....	44	43	87
Goodrich .....	40	46	86
Ricker .....	40	46	86
Dutton .....	38	48	86
Total .....			881



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### A Month at Plattsburg.

As the time approaches for the formation of definite plans for the summer vacation, it behooves every student to take into serious consideration a month at Plattsburg. The arguments in favor of the summer camps for military instruction and the many advantages to be gained from attendance at one of them are now too well-known to require repetition. Entirely aside from the intensive military training which is secured, is the possibility, the certainty of a physical and mental recuperation to be gained in few other ways so easily and surely. That is the testimony

of many tired business men who went to Plattsburg last summer.

The report of the advisory committee of the presidents of the great American universities is so strong in its endorsement that no one need doubt the care taken to ensure the best of conditions about the camps and the reports of those who have attended the past year or two are so unanimous in their approval that no one can fail to realize the clean pleasure to be derived from a vacation spent in this way, a pleasure secured by the satisfaction of hard work, well done, of clean, healthful living out-of-doors which is absolutely the best rest-cure for one whose work the rest of the year is connected with studies and books.

The remarkable increase in interest in these camps in 1916, was evidenced by the increase in attendance from less than seven hundred in 1914, to over sixteen thousand in 1916. This year the course of our foreign relations, with the need of preparedness even more before the country, assures a much greater increase. The same arguments used in urging the establishment of an Officers' Training Corps at Bowdoin hold for attendance at a summer camp. When war comes, trained officers will be our first need and we must be ready to supply them. If war is avoided, the summer will be far from wasted, for the students, in particular, will be able to return to work in the fall with the best of health and with the memory of habits of promptness and quick obedience to orders which may sometime serve in good stead.

This year all expenses of attendance will be paid by the Government, so the financial side of the matter will be confined to the loss of a month's earnings. This will deter some but for the majority we can give no better advice than the serious consideration of Plattsburg, or a similar military camp, for the summer vacation.

### COMMUNICATION

To the Editor of the ORIENT:

The Field Service of the American Ambulance Corps in France serves not only a humanitarian purpose but also one which is patriotic to this country. Today it is one of the strongest bonds which exists between the two republics.

Since 1914, our ambulances have served on all parts of the front which are held by the French and with nearly all of the French troops. The work which they have done has been seen by almost every soldier, many of whom have experienced its direct effect. These men, the component parts of the republic feel gratitude for this effort which were are making to assist in the care

of the wounded. The need for ambulances has increased greatly in two years and without doubt will be more increased as the war approaches a close. Strong coöperation with the present movement to collect money for the support of a car will have a distant and far reaching effect to lessen the sufferings of the wounded and to increase the feeling cordiality which exists at present.

HAROLD A. MANDERSON.

#### A LETTER FROM OXFORD

9 South Parks Road, Oxford,  
February 13th, 1917.

The Dean,  
Bowdoin College,  
Brunswick, Maine.

Dear Dean Sills:

Thank you for your letter of January 20th, enclosing the College record of your new Rhodes Scholar. I am sure that if, as you say he will, he "upholds the traditions of Bowdoin at Oxford pretty well," he will make good here. We are entirely satisfied with your Bowdoin representatives.

I don't think that the presence of the American Rhodes Scholars in Oxford at the present is regarded at all as an intrusion. They contribute to give a little life to a place, which, but for them, would be very moribund. What changes in the situation may be produced should your country go to war with the Germans, or should the food problem become very serious I do not yet know. Certainly as things are, there is no question but that Oxford is glad to have the American Rhodes Scholars here.

I would wish to thank you also for the kindly expression of sympathy with England and her Allies. It is a comfort and a strength to know that the bulk of English-speaking opinion is at our back in this war.

Believe me, yours sincerely,

F. J. WYLIE.

#### REPORT OF PRESIDENTS ON PLATTSBURG

Report of the Advisory Committee of University Presidents on the Summer Military Instruction Camps for students, November 15, 1916:

Owing to the need of officers of the regular army for duty on the Mexican border, student instruction camps were held during the past summer, only at Monterey, California, and Plattsburg, New York. The larger attendance this year made field manoeuvres possible on a broader scale than before. The students attending the camps were given careful oversight by the officers in charge in respect to tent accommodation,

food, and general sanitary and medical care. The spirit displayed was excellent, and the students as a body were greatly benefited by the experience.

We repeat the commendation given by this committee in 1913, 1914, and 1915, to those summer camps. This commendation is largely based on the opinions formed by members of the committee who personally visited and studied the Plattsburg and Monterey camps.

We believe that the open air training and life of these camps, given under careful, competent supervision, result in great benefit, physical and mental, to those attending, and that the military instruction materially aids in educating our youth to an intelligent appreciation on the evils of war, and of the preparation necessary to avert or meet them. It is a fact that some students who went this year to Plattsburg with the expectation of staying one month, remained two months, and some remained three months. There is no way in which a college or university student can more wisely, healthfully and profitably pass his entire summer vacation than in one of these camps.

We express the hope that the camps to be held in 1917, will have a still larger attendance, that the Government will be able to establish a number of such camps at points conveniently reached from different sections of the country, and that the authorities and students of the universities and colleges of the country will support the movement on a larger scale than ever before.

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### 1917 HIGH IN SCHOLASTICS

There are seven men now in College in the class of 1917 who have a possibility of making Summa Cum Laude. Two already have the required number of A's; one needs 2; two need 3; and two need 6. For the degree of Magna Cum Laude three men have a chance to make it. One man has completed the requirements; one needs three A's; and one needs four. Besides these twenty-one other men can graduate Cum Laude. One man has sufficient A's and B's; two need one; one needs two; four need three; two need four; six need five; three need six; and two need seven.

It is to be remembered that grades in Physical Training are also included in the computation, so that a man by taking six courses may get seven honor grades in a semester.

From a conservative estimate, six men will make Summa Cum Laude, four men will make Magna Cum Laude, and sixteen men will make Cum Laude.

In this connection it is interesting to compare the figures since 1912 when the present regulations went into effect. The statistics follow:

Class	Summa Cum Laude	Magna Cum Laude	Cum Laude
1912	1	1	13
1913	1	2	11
1914	1	3	5
1915	1	1	14
1916	1	2	15

Any Senior may find at the Dean's office the number of grades required by him for graduation with distinction.

### DEAN SILLS NOMINATED BY REPUBLICANS

The Republicans nominated Dean Sills for the School Board of Brunswick at their caucus last Thursday. He also received the Democratic nomination for a second term, and was re-elected.

### DEBATING NOTES

The intercollegiate debaters are progressing well in their work. Professor Davis has divided the men into two teams: the affirmative, which will meet Wesleyan at Middletown on March 22, is made up of Lane '17, Moran '17, and Foulke '19, with Coburn '19, alternate; while Bowdoin '17, Jacob '17, and Young '18, with Badger '20, alternate, compose the negative team, meeting Hamilton at Brunswick on the same day. These two teams will debate, for practice, March 12. This debate will be closed to the general public.

The preliminary debates of the Bowdoin Inter-scholastic Debating League will be held Friday

evening on the question: "Resolved, That the United States should adopt a system of military training similar to the Australian system." There are now seven schools represented in the league, Cony and Edward Little High Schools having withdrawn. The following men from the College are acting as coaches: Allen '17, Portland; Bowdoin '17, Bath; Coburn '18, Lewiston; Coombs '18, Westbrook; Gardner '19, Edward Little High; Kuebler '17, Biddeford.

### LACK OF FROST WILL

#### HASTEN CONSTRUCTION

Work has already commenced upon the new Hyde Dormitory. A crew of a dozen men have been engaged the past week in clearing away the hedges and erecting the "batter boards" with which the lines for the structure will be laid out. Several carloads of lumber and other material have arrived on the grounds, so that actual construction with a large force of workmen will be started shortly.

When ground was first broken last Wednesday only three inches of frost was encountered, and this condition will considerably hasten the construction for excavating will begin shortly. A survey has been made to ascertain whether the level of the new building will permit an extension of the College heating system.

### PLANS FOR THE MAINE COLLEGE MEET

A new plan, doing away with the present association, was outlined at the annual meeting of the Maine Intercollegiate Track Association at Waterville on Saturday, Feb. 25. Although the plans are in the hands of the secretary, they have not yet been fully drafted. It is understood, however, that the plan if sanctioned by the Colleges will be called the "Maine College Meet" and will be conducted in a manner similar to the present methods of baseball and football. Under the rulings, the cup for which there has been but one year of competition, goes to Maine.

### FIVE PAST EDITORS IN JOURNALISM

Recently compiled statistics show that more than one-half of past "Editorial Chairmen" of "The Harvard Crimson," the undergraduate daily newspaper, have entered journalism as a profession. The post-college careers of the 35 past editors-in-chief of the ORIENT, although not continuing in journalism in such a large proportion as at Harvard, still give evidence that a number of Bowdoin newspaper men chose newspaper work as their vocation.

From the founding of the paper in 1871 until

1882, the ORIENT was managed by a board of seven editors of equal standing.

Of the 35 editors-in-chief from 1882, when the present editorial board system was instituted, until 1916, nine have become lawyers, six are business men, five educators, five newspaper men or workers in the magazine field, three physicians and others alone in different fields.

It is worthy of note that all five editors who entered the newspaper field were men of classes graduating within 15 years of 1882; not one since John Clair Minot '96, has persisted in journalistic work after graduation. These facts seem to prove that Bowdoin men, at least, consider journalism, not as profitable an occupation, compared with other business and professions, as it was in the earlier days. The young graduates seem to be turning, more and more, away from the "learned professions" into fields that offer larger financial rewards.

The individual records of past ORIENT editors:

Arthur G. Staples '82, editor of the "*Lewis-ton Journal*;" Robert C. Washburn '83, lawyer, horticulturist, journalist, member of Legislature of Washington from 1893-97; Oliver W. Means '84, minister; John A. Peters '85, lawyer, Representative to Congress from the Second Maine District; Walter V. Wentworth '86, chemist; Clarence E. Burleigh '87, editor of the *Kennebec Journal*; Albert W. Tolman '88, lawyer, author; Frank L. Staples '89, lawyer; George B. Chandler '90, business man, member of Connecticut Legislature 1909; Thomas S. Burr '91, physician; Everett A. Pugsley '92, teacher, Superintendent of Schools, N. H.; Clarence W. Peabody '93, lawyer; Frederick W. Pickard '94, editor of the *Portland Transcript*, since 1901 with the Du Pont Powder Co.; John Clair Minot '96 (editor for two years), an author and an editor of *The Youth's Companion*; Robert S. Hagar '97, business, law; Percival P. Baxter '98, lawyer, member of Maine Legislature and Maine Senate; Roy L. Marston '99, forester; Percy A. Babb '00, mining engineer; Philip H. Cobb '02, Professor of Chemistry, Tufts College; Richard B. Dole '02; Clement F. Robinson '03, lawyer; William T. Rowe '04, physician; William F. Finn '05, business; Ralph G. Webber '06, business; Robert H. Cony '07, lawyer; Arthur L. Robinson '08, lawyer; Kenneth R. Tefft '09, advertising business; William E. Atwood '10, business; Lawrence McFarland '11 (deceased), physician; Walter A. Fuller '12, private secretary; Douglas H. McMurtrie '13, chemical engineer; Robert D. Leigh '14, instructor in Government, Reed College, Portland, Oregon; Austin H. MacCormick, instruc-

tor in English and Education, Bowdoin College; Dwight H. Sayward '16, insurance business.

## With the Faculty

Professor Mitchell preached at Livermore Falls Sunday, February 25.

Professor Mitchell acted as a judge of a prize speaking contest at Bridgton Academy last Tuesday.

Professor Files last Wednesday evening delivered an illustrated lecture on "Holland," before a group of Bath women.

Professor Ham spoke before the Ibis recently regarding his work and experiences in Russia.

Professor Davis recently spoke in Bath to the town teachers on "How Essayists Regard the Teacher."

Professor Hormell was elected chairman of the Republican Town Committee last week. A statement of the town's finances during the past three years, accompanied by diagrams, appeared in the *Brunswick Record* last Friday, an indication of part of the work which Professor Hormell has done for the town.

Professor Davis will be one of the judges at the Dartmouth-Colgate debate at Hanover on March 16.

Mr. Wilder spent Tuesday at Augusta visiting the State Library.

Mr. MacCormick was at the University of Maine over the week end.

## On the Campus

Marshall '20 has left College.

The new address list will appear this week for distribution.

The Abraxas held a dance at Riverton Park in Portland last evening.

Dennett '20 has been appointed Pontifex Maximus of Psi Upsilon.

The annual inundation of the campus is not far off, and rubber boots will soon be a necessity.

Hurlin '18, Vance '19, and Montgomery '20, attended the inauguration at Washington yesterday.

Tickets for the Inter-class Meet go on sale at the manager's room in the Gym from 1.30 to 5 next Monday.

The Sophomores elected Rollins class track manager, and discussed a class banquet at a meeting last week.

Ben Houser is expected to arrive here about March 17th, when he will take up his duties as baseball coach.



About 40 students attended the masquerade dance given by the Brunswick "younger set" last Friday evening.

Among those on the campus last week were D. K. Merrill '15, I. C. Merrill '15, Hescoc '16, and P. E. Farnham *ex.* '18.

Owing to the illness of the speaker, the Classical Club will not hold the meeting scheduled for Friday evening.

The annual ORIENT election will be held Thursday, March 15. The Bowdoin Publishing Co. will hold its annual election shortly.

The New England banquets of Theta Delta Chi and Delta Kappa Epsilon will be held in Boston on Feb. 23 and 24 respectively.

Workmen have been engaged the past week in the Science Building, where they have been installing some new sinks in the Chemistry I. Laboratory.

The Bugle Board met at the Zete house last Wednesday to discuss several essential features of the year book. The individual write-ups are due as soon as possible.

There has been an unusual interest in current events during the past week of uncertain international relations, and several new newspapers have been added to those on file at the library.

The preliminary announcement of courses of the University of Maine Summer School is out, and anyone planning to study at Orono this summer can procure information from the President of the University.

The town had an opportunity to hear excellent speakers for and against woman suffrage a week ago, and as the Legislature has voted to hold a referendum next September, there will doubtless be an opportunity to hear further arguments.

The annual New England Convention of Beta Theta Pi was at the Hotel Lenox in Boston, last Friday evening. Roberts '10, Gardner '13, Hall '14, Garland '16, Moulton '16, Bartlett '17, Flynt '17, Humphrey '17, Lovejoy '17 and Pierce '17; Coombs '18, Pendleton '18; Abbott '20, Burns '20 and Montgomery '20 attended.

The meeting of the Chemical Club will take place at the Psi Upsilon House next Thursday. Before the meeting there will be a lecture by Professor Houston on "The Potash Industry." This will take place in the Chemistry Lecture Room and will be accompanied with lantern slides. All are invited to attend.

The United States Civil Service Commission calls attention to the open competitive examinations for aid in the Bureau of Standards, scheduled to be held on March 21-22 and April 11-12, 1917. There is urgent need for eligibles for this

position, and those qualifying under this examination have excellent opportunity for early appointment.

During the past semester 62 courses were offered at the College. The average of the 62 courses computed on the Friar's Cup basis was 2.58. Thirty courses were above average and 32 were below the average. The total number of A's given was 295; of B's there were 630; 658 C's; 332 D's; and 75 E's, with of a total of 2002 in the courses.

Professor Hormell is arranging to take his class in Government to Augusta shortly to see the Legislature in action. A special rate of 85c can be procured of the Maine Central if 100 students will go. To assure this number going Professor Hormell invites all students of the College who are interested to make the trip. The tentative date is Mar. 15.

## RESOLUTIONS

HALL OF THETA OF DELTA KAPPA EPSILON.

March 2, 1917.

It is with deep regret that Theta Chapter of Delta Kappa Epsilon learns of the sudden death of one of its most loyal alumni, Brother Richard Conant Payson, of the class of 1893. One of a family noted for its constant interest in the welfare of both the fraternity and the College, he proved always one to be depended upon for generous assistance and true interest. His death is a real loss to all with whom he came in contact. To his family and friends, Theta Chapter extends its deep sympathy.

DONALD WARD PHILBRICK,  
WILLARD ARNOLD SAVAGE,  
LEWIS ALBERT BURLEIGH, JR.,

For the Chapter.

## CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7.

Bowdoin 1920 Relay vs. Bates 1920 Relay, at Lewiston.

THURSDAY, MARCH 8.

7.30 P. M. Lecture by Professor Houston, Chemical Lecture Room.

Meeting of Chemical Club.

FRIDAY, MARCH 9.

Interscholastic Debates.

SATURDAY, MARCH 10.

Sophomore-Freshman Inter-Class Meet.

FRIDAY, MARCH 16.

Inter-Class Meet.

SATURDAY, MARCH 17.

7.30 P. M. Informal Dance, Union.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21.

Musical Clubs at Peabody.

THURSDAY, MARCH 22.

Intercollegiate Debates,

Bowdoin, neg. vs. Hamilton, Memorial Hall.

Bowdoin, aff. vs. Wesleyan at Middletown.

Musical Clubs at Gloucester.

FRIDAY, MARCH 23.

4.30 P. M. Spring vacation begins.

Musical Clubs at Boston, Hotel Somerset.

MONDAY, MARCH 26.

Musical Clubs at Lowell (Pending).

TUESDAY, APRIL 3.

8.30 A. M. Classes resume.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11.

Baseball, Bowdoin vs. Harvard at Cambridge.

### A CENTURY'S RISE IN PRICES

In view of the ever-increasing cost of living in the outside world it is interesting to note the corresponding rise in the price of stuffs which Bowdoin students consume. Whether our pocketbooks quickly grow thin because of "the high cost of living" or "the cost of high living," the following facts will help in forming a judgment.

Newspaper men have recently made an illuminating comparison of the cost of living at Bowdoin in 1811 and 1916. In 1811 the trustees of the College contracted with Thomas S. Estabrook to board the "tutors" and students for \$1.92 per head, per week. The menus for breakfast and "supper" included: coffee, tea, or chocolate, with flour bread and butter or buttered toast. The contract for the "dinners" provided that fresh butcher's meat, such as the season furnished, should be roasted at least twice a week, with suitable bread and vegetables. Other meats with puddings were provided on other days as agreed upon by said Estabrook and tutors. On Sundays but two meals were furnished, breakfast consisting of coffee, beans, brown bread and butter. For the other meal, called either luncheon or supper, bread and butter, molasses ginger bread or doughnuts, sweet cider or small beer, was the menu.

In 1916 the different chapter houses charged approximately \$5 per week board. At the dinners during a single week in 1916, at one house the following items were served: four different kinds of soups; six varieties of fish and game; beans; puddings; ice cream; tea; coffee; milk; cocoa.

In 1811 there were no "movies," on which Brunswickians spend \$100 daily. Presumably a large portion of this amount flows from the student pockets.

### Alumni Notes

The following recent writings of the alumni have come to our notice.

'52—The Boston Transcript, printed on Feb. 12, a part of the late General Joshua L. Chamberlain's address to the Pennsylvania Commandery of the Loyal Legion, in 1909. It was printed because, says the Transcript, of all present day tributes to Lincoln there is probably none which better answers the question how he affects the present day statesmanship.

'60—Augustine Jones is the author of a pamphlet on Joseph Dudley, Ninth Governor of Massachusetts.

'02—Dr. Eugene R. Kelly is the author of several medical bulletins of recent publication. In the recent report of the Milk Board of the Massachusetts State Department of Health, several of the articles are by him. The Quantitative Relationship of Milk-Born Infection in the Transmission of Human Communicable Diseases, and a plan of the State Department of Health for more tuberculosis hospitals are also his.

'07 William A. Robinson, Ph. D., assistant professor of Political Science in Washington University, is the author of "Jeffersonian Democracy in New England," just published by the Yale University Press. This study was begun by Professor Robinson while a graduate student at Yale, and in its original form won, in 1913, the John Addison Porter prize established by Scroll and Key. The author deals with the rise of the party of opposition to Federalism in New England: "The party of wealth and culture, whose members wrote the great controversial papers, delivered the memorable orations, and edited the ablest newspapers and pamphlets of the day." Federalism in 1800 regarded itself as ruling almost by divine right. There could be nothing better for the masses than to submit to its beneficent rule. Professor Robinson shows also how the party of Thomas Jefferson became indeed the party of the people, of truly democratic rule, of genuine republican principles, against the party of vested rights and hereditary principles.

'11—The Maine Law Review of January has an article on Judge Fuller, by William E. Waltz.

'11—Charles B. Hawes is the author of a short story, "Within that Zone," in a recent number of the Transcript.

'76—Alvah Horton Sabin is the author of a book called, "Industrial and Artistic Technology of Paint and Varnish."

'76—George Thomas Prince is the author of a book called, "Tabulated Data Related to Flow of Water."

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## NO LAST GYM CELEBRATION

The class of 1917 will have its last gymnasium exercises this week, but the four years of physical training will end without the traditional hilarity, which three years ago resulted in probation for the whole Senior class. They will merely go through the exercises for about the 180th time, there will be a few shouts, and the last gym will be over. Years ago it was the custom to attend the last gym in a grotesque costume, with rubber boots as an important part of the make-up, and there was usually a real celebration. Today, so many men take outside athletic work, such as winter football, baseball, and track, that there has been a loss of class unity in gymnasium, and the celebration has become more traditional than real. There may be a Senior get-together later, but there will be no last gym.

## Y. M. C. A. ELECTION FRIDAY

The annual election of the Y. M. C. A. will be held in the Managers' Room in the Gymnasium Friday afternoon from 1.30 to 5.30. The following nominations have been made:

President—Coombs '18, MacCormick '18, Norton '18. (One to be voted for; highest to be president, second highest, vice-president.)

Treasurer—Cole '19, Higgins '19.

Recording Secretary—Badger '20, Flanders '20, Skillin '20.

## SHORTAGE OF OFFICERS DELAYS CORPS

President Hyde received a letter from Assistant Secretary of War Ingraham last week, saying that he was using every effort to procure an officer for Bowdoin. He says it will be difficult however, as the War Department is 1200 officers short and can spare few for College service.

## CLASS TRACK LEADERS ELECTED

The Seniors have chosen Sampson captain and manager of the class track team; W. A. Savage is captain-manager for 1918. The Sophomores and Freshmen have no captains; Rollins is managing the Sophomore team, and L. W. Brown is handling matters for 1920.

## A LETTER FROM GENERAL WOOD

Johnson '18 received the following letter from Major General Leonard Wood in regard to the training corps:

My Dear Mr. Johnson:—

Your telegram, informing me that Bowdoin College is applying for an officer, received. I am delighted that a training corps is to be started there, and I hope that we shall be able to find an officer for you. We shall do what we can here to help you.

Sincerely yours,

LEONARD WOOD,  
*Major General, U.S.A.*

## STACKPOLE '00 BACK FROM FRONT

Everett B. Stackpole '00 has been visiting relatives in town for the past two weeks and has given many interesting talks to various groups of students concerning the present European war. At the outbreak of the war in 1914, he entered the Princess Patricia Canadian Regiment which took part in the most severe fighting in Flanders and which was practically annihilated there. He was wounded by a bomb explosion in 1916, and after spending considerable time in an English hospital where he was pronounced incapable of re-entering the fight, he returned to this country.

After graduating from Bowdoin in 1900, Stackpole did graduate work for one year at Harvard and three years at Columbia where he received the Master of Arts degree in 1902. He began practicing law in 1907 in Seattle where he remained until he entered the war in 1914. This week he will give a talk to the Ibis and probably to other College gatherings and societies in the near future.

## BATES FRESHMEN DEFEATED

The first race between the Freshmen teams of Bates and Bowdoin resulted in more or less of a mix-up and had to be run over. The first runner of Bates, Wiggan, ran only three laps instead of four.

In the second attempt everything went along smoothly. Dostie of Bowdoin lead Wiggan of Bates by a yard. Allen increased this lead to 10 yards. Smith was not contented with this lead and succeeded in lapping Gross. Jenkins had



trouble in receiving the baton from Gross. As a result of this, Cleaves loafed through the last lap. The time was exceptionally fast.

#### Summary:

Bowdoin 1920 (Dostie, Allen, Smith, Cleaves) defeated Bates 1920 (Wiggin, Rice, Gross, Jenkins). Distance, 280 yards. Time, 2 minutes, 45 2-5 seconds.

### TWO DRILL COMPANIES ORGANIZED

At the drill in the gymnasium last Thursday evening, two companies were organized, and there will be a total of 120 men when both companies receive their full quota. The organization is only temporary, pending the establishing of a regular military organization under an army officer. The appointments of officers are only provisional.

The officers, commissioned and non-commissioned, are as follows:

Company A (drills Monday, 9 to 11 P. M.)

Captain, Schlosberg '18.

First Lieutenant, R. H. Cobb '17.

Second Lieutenant, Hildreth '18.

First Sergeant, Sutcliffe '17.

Sergeants, Achorn '17, Lovejoy '17, Sturgis '20.

Corporals, Philbrick '17, A. S. Gray '18, Haskell '18, Burr '19, Allen '20.

Lance Corporals, Professor Nixon, J. E. Gray '18, Hanson '18, Sloggett '18, Woodman '18, Allen '20.

Company B (drills Thursday, 9 to 11 P. M.)

Captain, Johnson '18.

First Lieutenant, McDonald '19.

Second Lieutenant, Savage '18.

First Sergeant, Wadsworth '20.

Sergeants, Professor Langley, Blanchard '17, Shumway '17.

Corporals, Davison '17, McConaughy '17, Albion '18, DeMott '18, Hazeltine '18, Martin '19.

Lance Corporals, Professor Bell, Professor Davis, Professor Sills, Rickard '17, MacCormick '18, Burleigh '19.

### STILL MORE ENROLL FOR MILITARY

The enrollment for the Reserve Officers' Training Corps has been slightly increased this week. Many more consents have come in from the parents. Up to Monday morning, 154 men had signed up for Plan I, while 211 have enrolled for Plan II. In Plan I there are 62 Sophomores and 92 Freshmen. In Plan II there are 44 Seniors, 51 Juniors, 52 Sophomores, and 64 Freshmen. One hundred twenty-seven consents are in for Plan I, 29 of them being for men who have not signed up. For Plan II there are 182 consents with 44 of them for men not yet enrolled.

The students enrolled since last week are as follows:

#### Plan I

From 1919: L. W. Doherty, McClave, Mitchell, Tillson, Vance. Total, 62.

From 1920: Dostie, Lindner, Low, McLellan, L. H. Moses, H. S. Prosser, Springer, R. D. Turner, Wadsworth, Whitney. Total, 92.

#### Plan II

From 1917: Achorn, D. W. Pierce, Pike. Total, 44.

From 1918: Chase, J. F. Clark. Total, 51.

From 1919: Mitchell, Newell. Total, 52.

From 1920: Palmer, P. W. Smith, R. D. Turner. Total, 64.

That good fraternities are a great asset of a college has been amply shown many times. Here at Bowdoin during the past few weeks, and especially during the last two weeks, this fact has again been proven by the enrollment for the Reserve Officers' Training Corps. The percentages, which follow, show that Psi Upsilon leads in enrollments for both plans, having a percentage of 90 for Plan I and 81% for Plan II; whereas non-fraternity has a percentage of only 35 for Plan I and 22% for Plan II.

#### Enrollment by fraternities for Plan I

Fraternity	1919	1920	Total	Percent- age
Psi Upsilon	5	14	19	0.90
Alpha Delta Phi	5	8	13	0.76
Zeta Psi	7	7	14	0.65
Bowdoin Club	5	12	17	0.65
Delta Kappa Epsilon	8	8	16	0.64
Delta Upsilon	7	6	13	0.61
Phi Theta Upsilon	3	6	9	0.60
Beta Chi	3	6	9	0.60
Theta Delta Chi	2	10	12	0.57
Beta Theta Pi	4	5	9	0.50
Kappa Sigma	5	6	11	0.50
Non-Fraternity	3	4	7	0.35

#### Enrollment for Plan II

Fraternity	'17	'18	'19	'20	Total	Percent- age
Psi Upsilon	2	9	4	11	26	0.81
Beta Theta Pi	6	7	6	5	24	0.66
Delta Kappa Epsilon	8	0	8	6	22	0.58
Delta Upsilon	8	4	6	3	21	0.57
Zeta Psi	6	4	5	4	19	0.55
Alpha Delta Phi	3	3	4	5	15	0.50
Phi Theta Upsilon	2	7	5	3	17	0.44
Theta Delta Chi	2	6	2	4	14	0.43
Beta Chi	1	4	2	4	11	0.39
Kappa Sigma	2	1	3	6	12	0.31
Bowdoin Club	2	1	2	5	10	0.30
Non-Fraternity	0	1	1	6	8	0.22

**FRESHMEN MAY WIN INTERCLASS MEET**

The inability of the Sophomores to score more heavily on the first year men Saturday evening would seem to eliminate them from the possible victors in the coming inter-class meet Friday evening. The Freshmen have a chance to win. So have the Seniors and Juniors. The meet will not be an easy victory for any class, and the stars are sufficiently scattered to make the contest an interesting one.

The Seniors, who won the meet last year, have Sampson, Pierce, White, Rickard, McConaughy, and Fillmore among the probable point winners. Savage will perform well for the Juniors, and 1918 will also probably receive points from the work of Simonton, Warren, Wyman, Hildreth, Gray, Peacock, Stewart and Young. There are plenty of others in these two classes who will be in uniform Friday evening and may score. The results of the lower class meet show what the members of 1919 and 1920 will probably be able to do.

There will be no squad drills this year. The spectacle of the Indian club, dumb bell, broadsword, and foil drills, with the traditional Freshmen victory with the painted Indian clubs will be absent. The relay races will be between the two upper classes and the two lower classes in the preliminaries. There will be eight man relay teams, each man running one lap in the preliminaries and two laps in the finals. The meet will commence at 7.30 sharp, and the sale of tickets already indicates a good attendance. The admission is 50c. The band will be on hand, and the meet will be a fitting close to the winter season.

Coach Magee has been producing splendid results this winter, and it is probable that several records will be smashed. Magee was well pleased with the showing which the lower classmen made in their meet, and expects even better work Friday.

The present records in the meet are:

40-YARD DASH—D. W. Pierce '17, H. H. Sampson '17, G. S. Nevens '18, R. Pirnie '18, 4 3-5 sec.

440-YARD DASH—P. S. Turner, '19, 57 1-5 sec.

880-YARD RUN—D. H. Sayward '16, 2 min., 9 2-5 sec.

MILE RUN—C. H. Crosby '17, 4 min., 42 3-5 sec.

45-YARD HIGH HURDLES—W. A. Savage '18, 6 seconds.

45-YARD LOW HURDLES—P. S. Smith '15, L. Webber '16, W. A. Savage '18, 5 3-5 seconds.

RUNNING BROAD JUMP—P. S. Smith '15, 21 feet, 6 1/2 inches.

RUNNING HIGH JUMP—H. S. White '17, 5

feet, 9 inches.

PUTTING 16 LB. SHOT—G. W. Leadbetter '16, 41 feet, 3 3-8 inches.

POLE VAULT—F. P. McKenney '15, 10 feet, 11 1/8 inches.

DISCUS THROW—J. B. Moulton '16, 121.58 ft.

36 LB. WEIGHT—G. W. Leadbetter '16, 46 feet, 9 1/2 inches.

RELAY RACE—1760-yard, 8 men—1916, 3 min., 31 4-5 sec.

RELAY RACE—880-yard, 8 men—1916, 1 min., 42 1-5 sec.

**PRESIDENT AND DEAN ADVISE FRESHMEN**

A new system whereby the President and the Dean will see every member of the Freshman class, and advise him regarding his course of study for the next three years has just been adopted by the College. Letters have been sent out to the class this week urging the members to begin planning their courses, not only for the purpose of arranging for majors and minors, but also to assure courses that will fit into each individual's life work and generally well rounded education. By this plan the class will be divided into two parts. President Hyde will see and advise one-half and Dean Sills will meet the other half individually. With the elective system there is the danger that students will choose "cinch" subjects, and as the College has always scouted the system of Freshman advisers, it is hoped that this plan will be effective in getting the Freshmen to plan out rational and proper courses.

**PROF. JOHNSON READ TO CLASSICISTS**

Professor Woodruff entertained the Classical Club delightfully at his new home on Maine street last Friday evening. Professor Johnson gave a reading from his recent translation of the poetry of Catullus, as yet unpublished, and also of his translation of the "Pervigilium Veneris." These translations are ranked among the highest of the renderings of these classics into English, and are of the quality which has made Professor Johnson's translation of Dante's "Divine Comedy" famous. The professor also spoke of the spirit of translation and the opportunities of the classical scholar.

**COLLEGE CHORUS PLANS CONCERT**

The College chorus will rehearse Thursday for the first time in several weeks. Professor Wass hopes to present a College chorus concert in April. The chorus has done but little recently because its nucleus, the Glee Club, has spent so much of its time in rehearsing for Musical Clubs trips, and in playing away from the College.

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## A Permanent Manager

Every year's experience in the system of undergraduate management of athletics furnishes new arguments for the change to a system whereby central buying, uniform book-keeping and experienced oversight of schedules, trips and many incidents would be a possibility. This involves the employment of a permanent, graduate manager and we heartily advocate action toward that end. This is not a new problem, but we understand that the matter is under consideration at present and we wish to recall the efforts of past ORIENT editors to urge its advantages and to add what little we can to the forces working in its favor.

Perhaps the biggest argument for the employment of a permanent manager is the possible financial saving. Not a season passes without losses and waste in one or the other of the major sports which would easily equal or exceed the salary necessary to get a good man. It would be the first duty of the manager, then, to stop these sources of waste. Every sporting-goods house has several prices for its goods and an experienced business man, buying in large quantities over a period of several years, could secure for Bowdoin the lowest prices. He would know from experience just what quality of goods was needed and he would trade with the house giving him the best prices. It may be argued that undergraduate managers can do this also, but the fact remains that they don't. Furthermore, the biggest advantages are to be derived from having one man buy supplies for football, baseball and track, with the ability to refer to the record of past years for quantities and qualities required.

In the second place, a permanent manager would install a system of uniform book-keeping, whereby the accounts of each manager would be kept in a uniform manner, allowing comparison with past years and a close checking of prices paid for identical services. Some trips are much more profitable than others and the man making out the schedule should know what ones are best. The question of guarantee also is important. Within a year considerable money has been lost by failure to demand adequate guarantees, guarantees which have been given willingly when asked for. The permanent manager would have a schedule of hotels and time-tables and would make the best arrangements in each case.

Here again it may be argued that undergraduate managers should do this, but they don't. Tickets are bought where mileage would be cheaper and vice versa, and lower rates at hotels are lost by failure to arrange beforehand for accommodation. No definite policy is adopted as to amounts allowed for meals and for many extras, such as tips and carfares. It would be the duty of a business man acting as graduate manager to supervise these matters and prepare estimates of expenses for each trip.

This is the line along which our cities are working today. The business manager, the central purchasing agent, uniform accounting systems and budget estimates are the modern idea in government. They are merely the application to the business of government of common sense principles which apply equally well in our smaller sphere. We hope the College will take immediate action to secure the services of a permanent graduate manager for athletics.

## COMMUNICATION

West Roxbury, Mass.

*To the Editor of the ORIENT:—*

The Bowdoin Club of Boston devoted a recent meeting to the discussion of preparedness, and the alumni studying at Harvard are intensely interested in the subject, especially where it applies to Bowdoin. The three Bowdoin alumni working in the Zoölogical Laboratories have enrolled in the Reserve Officers' Training Corps, though they find the cost in time heavy. It has been rightly said that the college man's value to the State is in the individual service he can offer in times of peace. Now that the country may at any instant become definitely enlisted in war, the place for college men is in encouraging preparations.

Undergraduates and young alumni are in a singularly independent position. The expenses of four years at least are borne by others, by the State; to the State they owe their first and best services. In the majority of cases these young college men are not soon fitted for definite valuable service, and it is for them in their early years of independence to lead the way in assisting military effectiveness. With the best of modern culture and science for their instruction, college men are the expected leaders in peace or war. Now the indications are toward imminent war; the opinions of thoughtful men consider military force a present necessity to secure peace. Bowdoin men are right in aiming to make their support of the United States military forces effective, in offering themselves for that instruction which will make them useful trainers of the armed men that are a necessity to preserve American standards of humanity in peace or war.

LAURENCE IRVING.

## THE FEBRUARY QUILL

The latest Quill is thoroughly interesting, and at the same time strikingly sombre in tone. It happens that every contribution touches the note of change and decay. This number was written in the realization that life must grow old; except for the Greek lyrics, which were written in the conviction that life is always young. As a supplement to the editor's Foreword concerning these lyrics we may add: the translator has finely entreated into our classically gray atmosphere a more advanced and vital spirit of joy which we need to overtake:—

"Just like the day is the light that shines from thee, still day is voiceless.

Thou dost add to the light music of laughter and speech,

Music far sweeter than song of the Sirens,  
enchanting it holds me;

On it forever are hung hopes that enrapture  
my heart."

It is difficult to admit the possibility on which the plot of "The Gift" is founded: that a gallant should seek the favor of his new lady by means of a fine dinner with inhabited opium bunks for a background. Heath's explanation suggests that he has not wit enough to manage anything, much less an opera house. Otherwise the play is an exceptionally excellent piece of dramatic writing. We hope that the author will keep on; and that next time he will give us a scene where the breathing is better. "My Open Fire" is in the true, warm essay style, "as if some libation is made to the gods of past days." The essay form is suitable to the author's gifts. But he needs to revise a phrase now and then from the reader's point of view. "Newly laid kindling" distracts our attention from his theme, especially at a time when the cost of living is so high.

"Arcady," an elegy for lost youth, is neat, but often too conventional in rhythm and imagery. "Memories" leaves nothing to be desired in delicacy of music. That the "dim-remembered faces" should "stare" rather than look, seems not in keeping with the ensuing images of the poem, which convey attraction rather than repulsion or indifference. "Consolation" is neat and firm, but not sufficiently inevitable: we do not feel that the writer could not help writing it. One would say that the original verse in the present number was lacking in substance and artistic ambition, were it not for the "Sonnet." Its best lines are:

"And like serene leaves these dream-lit years are  
whirled

Down dead, forgotten alleys of my brain."  
But verses two, five, and six are labored and too obviously determined by the rhyme-scheme.

G. R. E.

## FRESHMEN OVERWHELM SOPHOMORES

Bowdoin need not worry about track material for the next two or three years. There is plenty of it in the entering class, and the Freshmen easily defeated the Sophomores 67 to 37 in the lower class meet Saturday evening. The unfortunate injury of Harris in the quarter may materially reduce the chances of 1920 for victory in the interclass meet Friday evening, but the first year men will make an excellent showing. In addition to Harris, who had won the 40-yard dash and the shot put before being spiked in the 440, Turner and Cleaves were the stars of the meet. Turner won the quarter and the half,



while Cleaves finished first in the mile and followed the big Sophomore closely in the half. Johnson '19, who has been in a track uniform for only a month, took second in the mile and third in the 880.

Several records went by the board, for this was only the second annual meet. There were nine heats in the 40-yard dash, for everyone competed in that event. The four contestants in the final heat were Freshmen. The Freshmen also made a clean sweep of the shot put and the 36 pound weight, and there was not an event in which they did not score. Ellms showed up well in the weights, scoring in all three events. Dostie proved to be an excellent broad jumper as well as a runner, and there were plenty of other first year men who will probably score Friday night. Higgins won two first places for the Sophomores in the hurdles and the high jump, and Leighton was the best man in the pole vault.

In the relay, the Freshmen had the lead from the start. Dostie gained ten yards over Holbrook, and this was increased until it was over half a lap, Turner, running anchor for the Sophomores, cut down a little of Cleaves' lead, but finished nearly half a lap behind. Seven men ran three laps each.

The summary:

40-Yard Dash—Won by Harris '20; second, Crabtree '20; third, Prosser '20. Time 4 4-5 sec.

Mile Run—Won by Cleaves '20; second, Johnson '19; third, Gupta '20. Time 5 min., 3-5 sec.

440-Yard Dash—Won by Turner '19; second, Smith '20; third, Holbrook '19. Time 58 sec.

45-Yard Hurdles—Won by Higgins '19; second, Delehanty '20; third, Foulke '19. Time 62-5 sec.

880-Yard Run—Won by Turner '19; second, Cleaves '20; third, Johnson '19. Time 2 min., 19 sec.

Shot Put—Won by Harris '20; second, Haggerty '20; third, Ellms '20. Distance 36 feet, 3¾ inches. Record.

Discus Throw—Won by Sprague '19; second, Ellms '20; third, Lombard '20. Distance 92 feet, 1¾ inches.

36 Pound Weight—Won by Lombard '20; second, Ellms '20; third, Rhoads '20. Distance 27 feet, 5½ inches.

High Jump—Won by Higgins '19; second, Adams '20; third, Foulke '19. Height 5 feet, 4¾ inches. Record.

Broad Jump—Won by Dostie '20; second, Campbell '20; third, Crabtree '20. Distance 19 feet, 10¾ inches. Record.

Pole Vault—Won by Leighton '19; second, tie

between Saxon '20, and Campbell '20. Height 9 feet, 6 inches. Record.

Relay—1920 (Dostie, Smith, Cousins, Crabtree, Cook, Allen, Cleaves) defeated 1919 (Holbrook, Mitchell, Johnson, Hutchinson, Knight, Leighton, Turner). Time 4 min., 56 4-5 sec.

### RIFLEMEN DEFEAT WATERVILLE

Bowdoin won from Waterville in a rifle match finished Saturday evening, each team shooting on its own range. The scores were higher than in the Skowhegan match of the previous week, Bowdoin scoring 943 and Waterville 907, as compared with the collegiate tally of 934 against Skowhegan's 881. Johnson and Professor Langley were the high men of the shoot, each scoring 97. There has been a marked improvement in some of the new men who are shooting well over 90. There will be a match with Bangor this week, and Bowdoin will have a hard opponent. There will also be a second shoot with Skowhegan. The scores in the Waterville match were:

#### BOWDOIN

	Off-hand	Prone	Total
Prof. Langley .....	48	49	97
Johnson '18 .....	47	50	97
Tillson '20 .....	49	47	96
Ellms '20 .....	46	50	96
J. E. Gray '18 .....	48	47	95
McConaughy '17 .....	46	48	94
Burleigh '19 .....	46	48	94
Call '18 .....	45	49	94
Dennett '20 .....	42	49	91
Prof. Nixon .....	45	44	89
			943

#### WATERVILLE

	Off-hand	Prone	Total
Chase .....	48	48	96
Gilman .....	47	47	94
Seamer .....	45	49	94
Soper .....	46	47	93
Clark .....	41	50	91
Parmenter .....	40	49	89
Green .....	41	47	88
Cunningham .....	40	48	88
McAlary .....	45	42	87
Butterfield .....	42	45	87
			907

### ELABORATE PLANS FOR BOSTON CONCERT

The Boston concert of the Musical Clubs at

the Hotel Somerset on Friday evening, Mar. 23, will surpass any previous performances. The alumni of Massachusetts have shown considerable interest in the concert and the committee of the Boston alumni with Ellis Spear, Jr. '98 as chairman, are working for a record attendance. Dancing will follow the concert. This will be the first evening of vacation, and a good representation from the present student body is expected.

The Clubs have been giving an excellent program this winter. The first trip through eastern Maine caused most favorable comment from Bangor, Skowhegan and Dexter, and the latest trip to Rockland and Warren was also a decided success. There will be three other Massachusetts concerts.

#### PROF. HOUSTON SPEAKS ON POTASH

"The only potash mines in America are the Nebraskan mines" said Professor Houston in an address on the "Potash Industry" in the chemical lecture room last Thursday night. He said that the American supply comes from small lakes in Nebraska and then showed how it is prepared for use. Professor Houston said that a supply of 250,000 tons in America would not last more than 40 days, while the supply from the famous mines of Germany was inexhaustible. The professor's lecture was accompanied by many very interesting lantern slides showing pictures of the mills and the various processes through which the potash must go before it is fit for use.

#### HAMILTON-BOWDOIN DEBATE, MARCH 22

The subject of the Bowdoin intercollegiate debates for this year is not concerned with either war or the preparation for war. To that extent it is out of fashion. Perhaps in dealing with the Monroe Doctrine, a matter of permanent interest, it may provide relief from the more pressing matters of these critical times. It will be for the Hamilton College speakers to maintain and for the Bowdoin speakers to deny that "the United States could better protect the Western Hemisphere by an understanding with Great Britain than by the policy known as the Monroe Doctrine."

Competition among the members of the league, to which Bowdoin belongs, including Hamilton College, Wesleyan University, and Bowdoin, is certain to be unusually keen this year. The first agreement between these three institutions, which expired three years ago, was for two years. While it continued, no member of the League secured any advantage over the others. The present agreement, for three years, expires with

this contest. To date, of the four contests in which each has participated Hamilton has won three, Bowdoin two, and Wesleyan one. The incentive Bowdoin possesses for defeating both of her opponents, with the prospect of either tying Hamilton or becoming herself the winner of the series of five debates, is of course very great. Each of the other institutions has as great an incentive. The prospect for Bowdoin of winning both debates is unusually good.

#### MAINE NOT CONFIDENT OF VICTORY

The meet this year is to be the 24th annual. Of all these meets, the University of Maine has won but eight. Bates has won one, and Bowdoin the rest. Colby has never won a State meet, and with Art Smith as her leader, is this year out for victory in the very hardest way.

The last four meets were won by the University of Maine. These victories mark the coming to Maine of such men as Bailey, Bell, Palmer, Hysom, Rice, French, Preti, Dempsey, and Wunderlich, all men who hold titles that are bigger than State titles. Glancing over this list this year it can be easily seen that it is pretty well broken up, and that Dr. McCarthy beginning his work as coach at the University of Maine, is to have the toughest proposition on his hands that a track coach has had in the past five years. And if the University of Maine does come through, he will have to develop her squad from green men. —*The Maine Campus.*

#### SCHOOLS DEBATED FRIDAY

The debates of the Bowdoin Interscholastic Debating League were held last Friday evening on the question, "Resolved, that the United States should adopt a system of military training similar to the Australian system." In league A, Edward Little High, coached by Gardner '19, won both its debates with Portland. In league B, Lewiston, coached by Coburn '19, won both its debates, while Westbrook, coached by Coombs '18, upholding the affirmative won one debate from Biddeford.

It is probable that a special debate between Bath and Lewiston will be arranged for the near future. For winning both debates, cups will be awarded to Auburn and Lewiston by the Bowdoin Debating Council.

#### GENEROUS AMBULANCE CONTRIBUTIONS

The students contributed \$225 for the Maine Ambulance last week. Some of the fraternities averaged a dollar a man. The amount necessary for the second ambulance is nearly complete.

## With the Faculty

Professor Johnson held a reception at his home last Thursday evening.

Dean Sills attended the meeting of the State Committee on the Taxing of Intangible Property, of which he is a member, at Augusta Friday.

Dean Sills spoke in the Camden and Rockland schools last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Professor Davis has just received an appointment to a committee of 20 on examination, in the National Council of Teachers of English.

Professor Hormell attended a hearing at Augusta, Thursday, on the matter of the Augusta charter before the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Professor Hormell is one of the men who have in hand the difficult proposition of settling the town political tangle of the election of a superfluous selectman.

Mr. MacCormick acted as judge at the inter-scholastic debate held at Edward Little High School, in Auburn, last Friday evening.

### CALENDAR

TUESDAY, MARCH 13

7.30 P. M. Biology Club meets.

THURSDAY, MARCH 15

6.45 P. M. Orient election, Verein Room, Library.

FRIDAY, MARCH 16

1.30-5.30 P. M. Y. M. C. A. election.

7.30 P. M. Inter-class meet.

SATURDAY, MARCH 17

7.30 P. M. Informal dance, Union.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21

Musical Clubs at Peabody, Mass.

THURSDAY, MARCH 22

Intercollegiate debates:

Bowdoin, neg., vs. Hamilton, Memorial Hall.

Bowdoin, aff., vs. Wesleyan at Middletown, Conn.

Musical Clubs at Gloucester, Mass.

FRIDAY, MARCH 23

4.30 P. M. Spring vacation begins.

Musical Clubs at Boston, Hotel Somerset.

MONDAY, MARCH 26

Musical Clubs at Lowell, Mass. (Pending.)

TUESDAY, APRIL 3

8.20 A. M. College re-opens.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11

Baseball, Bowdoin vs. Harvard at Cambridge.

## On the Campus

The Friars will hold a dance at Riverton, April 7.

The Sophomores have voted not to hold a banquet this year.

Pearson '19 and Mansfield '20 were recently initiated into Delta Upsilon.

The Student Council will have its picture taken at Webber's at one o'clock this noon.

On the campus last week were H. L. Bryant '12, E. G. Barber '12 and R. M. Ashey ex-'18.

The Abraxas dance was postponed Monday on account of the storm and took place Tuesday.

Beta Theta Pi will hold its annual house party on Friday, April 20, and Theta Delta Chi will entertain a week later.

The penalty of six weeks' probation for cuts on the two days before and after vacation will be exercised as usual this spring.

Campus navigation has been quite difficult during the past week. Last year most of the snow disappeared during the spring vacation.

A new telephone has been installed in the Union in addition to the regular pay station. The number is 327, and it cannot be used for toll calls.

The Phi Chi will hold a smoker at the Kappa Sigma house next Tuesday evening. Several members of the Medical School faculty will speak.

The Ibis will meet tonight at the Zeta Psi house. Everett B. Stackpole '00 will speak on his experiences "at the front," where he served two years with the Canadian contingent.

There will be a meeting of the members of the "Masque and Gown" at 7.30 on Tuesday evening in the Union. Mrs. Brown will be unable to coach the Commencement play this year.

Tomorrow evening, the alumni and undergraduates of the two chapters at Bowdoin and Colby of the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity will hold a banquet at the Augusta House in Augusta.

The government class will go to Augusta, Thursday, to see the Legislature in session. Any others who wish to make the excursion are invited. The round trip will cost 85c. The train leaves at 8.05 A. M.

Longren '19 suffered a dislocation of the elbow in falling from the vaulting buck in gym last Thursday. The doctors describe it as a dislocation of the radius, which is very rare and seldom occurring to adults.

In all, 28 men have dropped out this year so far. Ten have completed their courses at mid-years, three are driving ambulances, three left because of illness, two to study for army commissions, one for the navy, and 12 because of scholastic difficulties.

The Freshmen delegation of Psi U. held the triennial get-together party at the fraternity house, Friday night. After a trip to the pictures, refreshments and smokes were served and short speeches were made by members. The remainder

of the evening was spent in singing and story telling.

There is continued progress at the site of Hyde Hall. The contractors have erected a small house for a base of operations, and excavation will commence before long. Considerable material has already been brought to the place, and the hedge and several pine trees have been cleared away.

The ORIENT board will hold its annual election in the Verein Room at the Library, Thursday evening at 7. The Freshmen heelers who have survived from the original squad of 20 are R. H. Adams, Asnault, Congreve, Goodhue, Goodrich, Gordon, Hurrell, Small and Wadsworth. Three of these will be elected.

### Alumni Notes

'55.—Rev. Joseph K. Greene died at his home in Oberlin, Ohio, Feb. 16th. He was born in Auburn in 1834. After his graduation from Bowdoin he attended the Union Theological Seminary from which he graduated in 1858. With his wife and infant son Dr. Greene left this country for Turkey in 1859. For 51 years, till 1910, Dr. Greene carried on missionary work throughout Turkey. Since that time he has lived in Oberlin.

'63.—Word of the death of George G. Harri-man in San Juan, Porto Rico, July 2, 1916, has just been received by this department.

'66.—Sylvester B. Carter of Bridgton, Mass., died at his home Feb. 16th. He has been in the real estate business in Boston since 1891, and was also prominent in Y. M. C. A. work.

'67.—Judge Henry S. Webster died at his home in Gardiner, Me., Feb. 16. He was born in Augusta, Me., 1845. After his graduation from college he taught for four years and then began the practise of law in Gardiner, 1871. From 1885 until 1892 he was judge of probate in Kennebec county. In 1888 he was elected treasurer of the Gardiner Institute for Savings and served in that capacity till his death. Judge Webster was a member of the Common Council in 1877 and 1878, being president of that body in the latter year. He has also been a member of the school board of his home city. He is survived by a widow and one daughter.

'75.—"The Moral Test of a Nation," a pamphlet by George C. Cressey, Ph.D., D.D., has recently been received by the ORIENT. It is an exposition of the American people in this great crisis, and has a strong anti-pacifist tone.

M-'86.—Dr. George E. Thomas of Port Chester,

died at his home Feb. 12, as a result of pneumonia.

'93.—Richard C. Payson, treasurer and general-manager of the Portland Machinery Manufacturing Co., of Portland, Me., died at the Post-Graduate Hospital in New York, Feb. 26th. His death was a result of a surgical operation which he had been subjected to a week before, and was not at all unexpected.

He entered the employ of the company for which he was working at the time of his death, and his advancement was rapid. Mr. Payson was also connected with the Green Mountain Packing Co., and the Chapman Electric Neutralizer Co.

Although he never engaged in politics, he took an active interest in public affairs and was a member of the commission which constructed the new city building.

He was a member of various business and athletic clubs of Portland. He is survived by a widow and four children.

M-'96.—News of the death of Dr. John E. Wadsworth of Skowhegan, Me., has been received.

'96.—Dr. Mortimer Warren is now director of laboratories of the Life Extension Institute, Practitioners Department.

M-'01.—Dr. Henry T. McCarthy of Lewiston, Me., died Feb. 19.

'01.—Andrew Yost, who held the chair of French and German at Trinity College, Durham, N. C., last year, is now on the faculty of Williams College.

'05.—In the *New York Times* of Feb. 25, is a column of highly complimentary criticism on the work of Charles B. Cook.

'11.—Mr. and Mrs. George A. Torsney of 521 West 185th St., New York City, announce the birth of a son, John Alexander, on Feb. 1.

'12.—The engagement of Miss Grace M. Allen and Lowell S. Foote, formerly of Bath, Me., is announced. Mr. Foote has been in business in Chicago for about a year.

'13.—J. A. Norton has accepted a position as secretary to Senator Frederick Hale. Norton has recently been on the staff of the Portland Advertiser and was Legislative reporter at Augusta.

'13.—Douglas H. McMurtie is in charge of the chemical department of the pulp mill of the Brown corporation in Quebec.

'15.—George W. Bacon was awarded the first prize at Fordham University School of Law for receiving the highest rank of his class for the year 1915-1916.



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## REVISED BASEBALL SCHEDULE

The following schedule has been arranged by Manager MacCormick and has been approved by the faculty:

April 11—Harvard at Cambridge.  
April 12—Wesleyan at Middletown.  
April 13—Pending.  
April 14—Amherst at Amherst.  
April 19—Bates at Lewiston. (Exhibition.)  
April 21—Pending.  
April 28—N. H. College at Brunswick.  
May 2—Maine at Brunswick.  
May 5—Colby at Waterville.  
May 9—Colby at Brunswick.  
May 12—N. H. College at Durham.  
May 16—Tufts at Brunswick.  
May 19—Tufts at Medford.  
May 23—Exeter Academy at Brunswick.  
May 26—Maine at Orono.  
May 30—Bates at Lewiston.  
June 1—Bates at Brunswick.  
June 20—Alumni Game.

## ANNUAL ORIENT ELECTION

The annual election of the ORIENT board was held last Thursday evening. It was voted to make the alumni editor a Sophomore instead of a Senior, and to have the office appointive rather than elective. Robert G. Albion '18 was elected editor-in-chief, and Rolland C. Farnham '19, managing editor. The Freshmen elected to the board are William Congreve, Jr., Philip E. Goodhue, and Ronald B. Wadsworth. Congreve will have the campus department, Goodhue the alumni and Wadsworth the faculty. The first issue of Vol. 47 will appear Tuesday, April 10.

## DONOR OF ATHLETIC BUILDING DEAD

John Sedgwick Hyde of Bath, donor of the Gen. Thomas Worcester Hyde Athletic Building, died at St. Augustine, Fla., Saturday evening. He was one of the most prominent shipbuilders in Maine, being president and owner of the Bath Iron Works, and he was well beloved in Bath. Bowdoin gave him the honorary degree of Master of Arts in 1912, and he was an Overseer.

## MUSICAL CLUBS LEAVE TOMORROW

The Musical Clubs will leave Brunswick tomorrow on the 10:55, and the first concert of the trip will be given that evening at Peabody. Thursday evening a concert will be given at Gloucester and Friday the Boston concert will be given at Hotel Somerset beginning at 8 p. m. Dancing will follow the concert. It is planned to make the Boston concert a genuine Bowdoin "get together" and a large gathering is expected. The arrangements are in charge of Ellis Spear, Jr. '98. The final concert of the trip will be given at Lowell, Saturday evening.

Arrangements have been completed for a concert to be given April 13, at Portland. This affair will be in charge of the Sigma Upsilon Society and will be given at Pythian Hall. The next concert will be at Brunswick, the date to be announced later. Trips to Augusta, Richmond and Freeport are now pending.

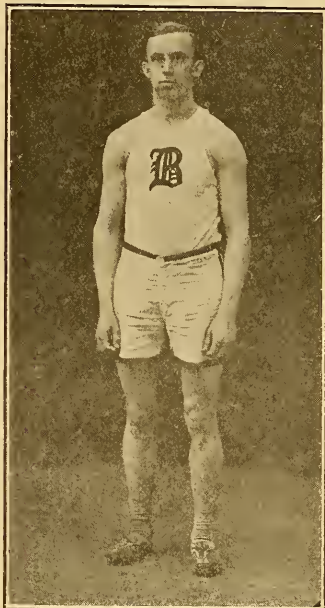
## 1918 TAKES THE MEET

The Juniors won the interclass meet Friday evening, scoring 43 points against 33 for the Seniors, 30½ for the Sophomores and 21½ for the Freshmen. The meet was one of the fastest which has yet taken place, and several records were smashed and equalled. There were 93 competitors entered, and this is probably a record to have nearly a quarter of the College in track uniform at the meet. One of the stars of the meet was Savage, who ran unattached, breaking the low hurdle record, equalling his own in the high hurdles, and taking second in the 40-yard dash. Capt. Sampson was tied with him for high point winner, and he provided the thrill of the evening by clearing the bar at 11 feet, 2¼ inches in the pole vault, the highest ever done in the Hyde Athletic Building.

The 440, 880, and the mile were all spectacular races, and Turner starred in the first two. He broke the record which he set up last year in the quarter, and set up a new one at 56 2-5 seconds. In the half, he came within a second of the record. Noyes won the mile, though he lost his shoe on the first corner and had marched in the parade at Portland that day, and after that he took third in the half. In the weight events, the Juniors had practically a clean sweep. Stewart

taking two firsts and a second, and Peacock and Young also scoring well. The records made by the giants in 1916 were not threatened.

The relay race with the Bates Freshmen promised to be a mighty close one, for the first two Bates runners gained on the Bowdoin men, and Smith had just made up the distance when Jenkins, the Bates anchor man, fell and made the victory an easy one. The Bowdoin quartette broke the record for these races, all eight of which have been Bowdoin victories. The class



Capt. Harold H. Sampson, Broke Pole Vault Record

relay teams were very well matched, and the race for first place between 1917 and 1919 was a dead heat, although Turner fell on the last lap. The meet shows that Magee has had a very successful winter season, and it promises well for the spring.

The summary:

40-Yard Dash.—First trial heat won by Call '18; second, Johnson '19. Time, 5 sec. Second trial heat won by Holbrook '19; second, Simon-ton '18. Time, 4 4-5 sec. Third trial heat won by

Savage '18; second, Prosser '20. Time, 4 4-5 sec. Fourth trial heat won by Sampson '17; second, Campbell '20. Time, 5 sec. Fifth trial heat won by Gray '18; second, White '17. Time, 4 4-5 sec. Sixth trial heat won by Bond '17; second, Leighton '19. Time, 5 sec. Seventh trial heat won by Ripley '18; second, Delehanty '20. Time, 5 sec. Eighth trial heat won by Turner; second, Freeman '18. Time, 5 sec. Ninth trial heat won by Peacock '18; second, Doherty '19. Time 4 4-5 sec. Tenth trial heat won by Crabtree '20; second, Hutchinson '19. Time, 5 sec. Eleventh trial heat won by McCarthy '19; second, Wyman '18. Time, 4 4-5 sec.

Semi-Finals.—First semi-final heat won by Call '18. Time, 5 sec. Second semi-final heat won by Savage, unattached. Time, 4 4-5 sec. Third semi-final heat won by Crabtree '20. Time, 4 4-5 sec. Fourth semi-final heat won by Sampson '17. Time, 4 3-5 sec.

Finals.—Won by Sampson '17; second, Savage, unattached; third, Crabtree '20; fourth, Call '18. Time, 4 3-5 sec. (Equals record.)

45-Yard High Hurdles.—First trial heat won by White '17. Time, 6 3-5 sec. Second trial heat won by Higgins '19. Time, 6 2-5 sec. Third trial heat won by Savage, unattached. Time, 6 1-5 sec. Fourth trial heat won by Foulke '19. Time, 6 4-5 sec.

Finals.—Won by Savage, unattached; second, Higgins '19; third, White '17; fourth, Foulke '19. Time, 6 1-5 sec.

45-Yard Low Hurdles.—First trial heat won by Delehanty '20. Time, 5 3-5 sec. Second trial heat won by Higgins '19. Time, 5 4-5 sec. Third trial heat won by Savage, unattached. Time, 5 2-5 sec. (Record). Fourth trial heat won by Leighton '19. Time, 5 4-5 sec.

Finals.—Won by Savage, unattached; second, Higgins '19; third, Delehanty '20; fourth, Leighton '19. Time, 5 3-5 sec.

Mile Run.—Won by Noyes '20; second, Fillmore '17; third, Johnson '19; fourth, tie between Knight '19 and Guptill '20. Time, 5 min., 10 2-5 sec.

440-Yard Run.—Won by Turner '19; second, Wyman '18; third, Simon-ton '18; fourth, M. N. Smith '20. Time, 56 2-5 sec. (Record.)

880-Yard Run.—Won by Turner '19; second, Cleaves '20; third, Noyes '20; fourth, Simon-ton '18. Time, 2 min., 10 2-5 sec.

Discus Throw.—Won by Stewart '18; second, Peacock '18; third, McConaughy '17; fourth, Patrick, unattached. Distance, 112 feet, 7 3-5 inches.

36 Pound Weight.—Won by Stewart '18; second, Young '18; third, Ellms '20; fourth, P. W. Smith '20. Distance, 34 feet, 1 inch.

Running Broad Jump—Won by White '19; second, Sampson '17; third, Hildreth '18; fourth, Peacock '18. Distance, 20 ft., 5¾ inches.

Putting 16 Pound Shot.—Won by Peacock '18; second, Young '18; third, Stewart '18; fourth, Patrick, unattached. Distance, 37 feet, 6 inches.

Running High Jump.—First place tie between White '17 and Call '18. Third place, tie between Foulke '19 and Higgins '19. Height, 5 feet, 4 inches.

Pole Vault—Won by Sampson '17; second, Leighton '19; third, Donnell '18; fourth, Prosser '20. Height, 11 feet, 2¼ inches. (Record.)

Relay Race (830 Yards).—1917 (Sampson, Bond, Rickard, Humphrey, Marston, White, Fillmore, Pierce) defeated 1918 (Gray, Ripley, Donnell, Peacock, Hildreth, Freeman, Simonton, Wyman.) Time, 1 min., 45 sec.

Relay Race (880 Yards).—1919 (Hutchinson, Holbrook, Foulke, Leighton, Knight, Hersum, McCarthy, Turner) defeated 1920 (Dostie, M. N. Smith, Cook, Crabtree, Prosser, Cousins, Allen, Cleaves.) Time, 1 min., 43 1-5 sec.

Relay Race (1760 Yards).—1920 defeated 1918. Time, 3 min., 35 1-5 sec.

Relay Race (1760 Yards).—1917 and 1919, dead heat. Time, 3 min., 38 4-5 sec.

Relay Race.—Bowdoin 1920 (Dostie, Cleaves, Smith, Allen) defeated Bates 1920 (Wiggin, Gross, Gifford, F. Jenkins.) Time, 2 min., 46 sec. (Record.)

Midget Relay, Grammar School.—(Small, Doughy, Desjardins, Litchfield, Morse, Mayberry) defeated Broadway School (Smith, Anderson, Pratt, Lewis, Lewis, Brown, Larrabee.) Time, 2 min., 42 sec.

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#### APRIL 3 LAST DAY FOR EXTENSIONS

The attention of the men holding Blanket Tax Extensions, payable on or before April 3, is called to the recent ruling of the Board of Managers that no extension will be allowed to run later than that date. There has also been a serious tendency on the part of holders of the extensions to let them over-run the date of payment. The extensions are promises to pay and men neglecting to pay them when due are considered non-members of the A. S. B. C. For the proper financing of the teams the extensions must be paid on time.



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## The Past Year

With this issue of the ORIENT the Senior members of the editorial board complete their service with the paper. If we have regrets at this time, they are regrets born of experience, regrets that we have not better used our opportunities, regrets that we have fallen so far short of the ideals set for us in the past, regrets that we have not been able to be a more active agency in the promotion of the best interests of the College. We have enjoyed our work and, in spite of all criticisms and failures, we truly regret that it is at an end.

For our successors we have only the best of wishes for a successful year and the realization of those aims which we have not attained.

It has become a custom, at this time, for the retiring editors to look back over the past year and make some mention of the changes made, the improvements secured, during that period. We do so with great pleasure, for the past year has been a big year for Bowdoin. Of the four tangible things mentioned by the retiring editor a year ago as yet ahead of us, we have now seen the fulfillment of two. The infirmary is nearing completion and the Hyde dormitory is well under way. We still lack a swimming-pool in the gymnasium and the need of a permanent manager is greater than ever. These especially we recommend to our successors for promotion.

In addition, this winter has seen the adoption of a new scheme for athletic training, supplementing and to some extent replacing the old gymnasium drills. Many problems will have to be solved before it becomes a successful working plan but we believe it is a big initial step in the right direction. The matter of military training, which may upset all other plans, is still unsettled but we feel sure Bowdoin will carry out along that line as in all others whatever seems best for all concerned.

We might mention other things which we have favored, such as collection of the blanket by the College, more tennis courts, better drainage of the campus, and the adoption of "Rise, Sons of Bowdoin" as our Alma Mater song, but the most desirable, in our opinion, is the adoption of the week-end program for Commencement. The advantages of this plan we gave last June and we earnestly hope for its adoption this year.

One other matter, even closer to this board, is the question of the form of the ORIENT. Last April we advocated the change to the newspaper form, but postponed it a year to enable our alumni and friends to give their opinions. Few have done so but we do not feel ready to take such a radical step where so little interest has been evinced and the ORIENT will continue for the present in its customary form.

Bowdoin continues to grow slowly but solidly, and with her present firm foundation of faculty, student body and general equipment, we can see for her only the brightest of futures. In her further development may the ORIENT be of greater service than ever and may we see the loyal co-operation of all in the better fulfillment of the ends toward which we are striving, the modern ideals as to the position and service of a small, liberal American college.

### Bowdoin's Submerged Walks

Last week's rain and the ensuing warm spell of weather have once more brought to our attention the need of better footpaths during the annual spring freshets. The present sloppy condition beneath our feet as we go to and from chapel and recitations can be called neither pleasant nor healthful, but no steps have been taken, apparently, to remedy matters in the least.

It has often been asserted by Bowdoin men in the presence of prospective students, that we have the wealthiest institution of its size, but if the sub-freshmen could see the paths on the Campus as they are today, he would be inclined to doubt the truth of the statement. If we have the richest small college, why is it that we must continue to get along with walks which are buried beneath several inches of mixed snow and water?

A slight expenditure by the College would go far toward removing the necessity for rubber boots, or wet feet, which are disliked by both student and instructor. Temporary board walks have been found very successful in other places and there seems to be no reason why they could not be used upon our Campus. There would be but little expense in maintaining such walks after the initial expenditure for materials, as the same boards could be used for a number of seasons, leaving only one other cost to be considered—that of removing the snow, which must be cleared away whether or not the board walks are present.

If this plan does not seem feasible, there remains the possibility of having the snow entirely removed from the cinder paths, thereby leaving nothing to make slush. It may be a little less expensive for the College to have the walks in the same condition as in the past, but it is offset by the extra expenses which the students must undergo in the matter of special footwear and doctor's bills. Therefore, let us have a change before another year passes. C. E. S.

### REVISED REGULATIONS OF ORIENT BOARD

There have been frequent additions and corrections to the regulations of the ORIENT Board as originally published in the ORIENT for Oct. 17, 1911. With the revisions made last week, they are as follows:

#### REGULATIONS

1. The ORIENT Board shall consist of an editor-in-chief, managing editor, ten associate members, and the business mahager of the Bowdoin Publishing Company.

2. At the annual elections, held the Thursday before the last number of the current volume, an editor-in-chief shall be elected from among the

Junior members of the board, and a managing editor shall be elected from among the Sophomore members of the board.

3. The associate members shall be elected in the following manner: Three Freshmen and one Sophomore shall be elected to the board annually, their fitness to serve being determined by the quality and quantity of the work submitted in competition.

4. When the editor-in-chief or managing editor shall have been absent from College during three consecutive issues of the ORIENT, the board shall immediately elect a successor from among the members of the board in the absent editor's class. Provided the absent editor returns within one year, he shall reassume his position.

5. An associate editor who is absent from College one college year shall forfeit his membership on the board, and the board shall vote his position vacant. When an associate editor shall have been absent from College three consecutive months, his name shall not appear on the list of members of the board published in each issue of the ORIENT. Upon his return his name shall appear again on the published list, provided he shall not have been absent one college year.

6. When a vacancy shall occur among the associate editors, the position or positions shall remain unoccupied until the next annual election, at which time the vacancy shall be filled from among the Sophomore or Freshmen candidates, preference being given to the former.

7. The rules governing eligibility to other college activities shall apply to the ORIENT elections.

8. Each member of the board shall be required to have published in the ORIENT two articles each semester or be automatically dropped from the board.

9. The managing editor shall act as permanent secretary for the board.

10. The editor-in-chief, with the advice of the managing editor, may choose members of the board, as he sees fit, to have charge of departments of the ORIENT, and these department editors shall have their names printed in the list of the ORIENT Board under the department names.

### DR. FITCH GIVES STRONG TALK AT VESPERS

President Albert Parker Fitch of Andover Theological Seminary was College Preacher, Sunday. He spoke at the Church on the Hill in the morning, at the afternoon vesper service in the chapel, and to the young people's meeting in the College Church in the evening.

At the chapel vesper service Dr. Fitch chose as his theme: "What shall it profit a man if he gain

the whole world and lose his own soul?" The speaker said that Jesus, as a man, had a positive outlook on life; he wanted to express, not to repress his instincts; he was never arbitrary or artificial, but always natural and essential, counting on normal experiences of a normal man to make people believe in him; Christ apparently lost all that the world offered, but saved his soul and the souls of all his believers.

Bringing his thought to apply to present conditions,—to life here at Bowdoin, Dr. Fitch told us that we have a choice between having things, and being something, and warned against the danger of having more than we are. The grind has an obsession for things rather than a passion for developing his personality; he misses much of the best in college. The ultra-athlete is at home only on the field where he can exercise his brute strength to win physical victories; elsewhere he is utterly miserable. Such a fellow, too, is stunting his soul.

The sophisticated chap, "the gilded fool," "the tailor's dummy," whose chief friends are the saloon-keeper and the bums of the college town, is drinking only the dregs of life. The dehumanized fellow is the fourth type of soul-loser, as Dr. Fitch sees him. Such an one, thinking in terms of mere erudition in order to acquire erudition, gets what he seeks, but is drowned in the mountain of books.

Contrasted with all these sorts of fellows who lacked a vision, the preacher pictured the ideal youth. He believes in all these things:—scientific knowledge, sports, a broad knowledge of life, much book lore,—but uses them only to contribute to his development; he does not let them swamp him. He wants, above all, to be a real man. Before gaining anything, the forward-looking youth says, "Will this eat up or enlarge my life; will it dissipate or focus me for service?"

The students crowded the chapel to hear Doctor Fitch, who has recently been called to act as permanent college preacher at Amherst.

Dr. Fitch is a native of Massachusetts, was graduated from Harvard in 1900 with the degree, B.D., and from Union Theological Seminary in 1903. In 1909, he received the degree D.D. from Amherst College, the same degree from Williams in 1914. He was ordained a Congregational minister on April 9, 1903 and held two pastorates before becoming President of Andover Theological Seminary in 1909, which were First Church, Flushing, L. I., and Mt. Vernon Church, Boston. He is an honorary member of the Harvard Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa. As an author, he wrote: "The College Course and the Preparation for Life," "Religion and the Undergradu-

ate," "The Hungry Boy" and many others.

#### AMHERST'S MILITARY QUESTIONS

The students of Amherst have been asked to answer the following questions this week in regard to the military situation:

1. If volunteers were called by the state or nation, would you go at the first call?
2. Would you go in response to any call for volunteers?
3. Would you go in case the government, facing a serious situation, should issue a general call for the largest available force?
4. Do you favor universal military training of some form?
5. Do you think a declaration of war ought to be referred to the people of the country?

#### BOWDOIN MEN IN PREPAREDNESS PARADE

Ten thousand marched in the preparedness parade in Portland, Friday, and thousands more crowded the Exposition Building and the City Hall to hear the governor and the other speakers. Bowdoin was represented in the parade by nearly a hundred men, many of them members of the drill corps, who marched under the command of Scholsberg and Johnson. The University of Maine had 300 men in uniform, as well as the university band. Cuts were excused Friday forenoon and afternoon for the men who went to Portland. There were several faculty members marching with the students, including Dean Sills, Professor Ham and Professor Nixon.

#### GOVERNMENT STUDENTS

##### VISIT LEGISLATURE

About 125 men, under the leadership of Professor Hormell, went to Augusta Thursday to inspect the workings of the machinery of State Government. Every minute, from the arrival at the State House at 9.30, was filled with interest. The Bowdoin party, together with 65 Portland High School students under Fred D. Wish, Jr. '13, visited, in the morning, both branches of the Legislature, and made a tour of interesting parts of the capitol. Since the Senate adjourned early, most of the time was spent observing the work of the House. Members kindly supplied the party with a number of Legislative Handbooks and Calendars of the Day; thus armed, the visitors could better understand the legislative proceedings. Two Portland members of the House, Percival P. Baxter '98, and Ralph O. Brewster '09, were prominent on the floor. The most interesting feature of the morning was a spirited debate on

a bill providing for the submission to the people of the State in September the question of giving the Governor and his Council power to remove summarily an unfaithful sheriff. After several earnest speeches for and against the bill the House passed it, with but four votes to spare.

Early in the afternoon Governor Milliken received the party in his private office. The Governor said, "I am glad to see you young men here today. Your coming means that you are taking an interest in the affairs of the State, and that you are desirous of being prepared. You are learning to do your bit for the good of the country. If worse comes to the worst in the present national crisis, you will find that you have made yourselves ready. There is nothing more important that I can urge upon you than to be ready to do your bit, no matter how small it may be, when your Country finds that it needs you." The chief executive then shook each man's hand and presented to all the fellows, at their own request, copies of his budget message.

The party spent the remainder of the afternoon visiting committee hearings. These hearings were very informal and interesting. A few of the fellows returned to Brunswick on the 4.07 train, and others on the 6.12, but most of the boys came back on "the first midnight," leaving Augusta at 10.40.

### THREE VACANCIES IN

#### BOARD OF OVERSEERS

There are three vacancies in the Bowdoin Board of Overseers caused by the deaths of Rev. Henry F. Harding '50, Henry Newberr '57 and William E. Spear '70. Ballots are being sent to the alumni for nominations to the board. Two of the vacancies are to be filled by the alumni and one by the board itself. The alumni will make nominations, and those names which receive more than 25 nominations will be placed on the eligible list, from which the new overseers will be chosen. The blanks are to be returned by April 15, and the ballots will come out in May.

### DEKES HAVE JOINT BANQUET WITH COLBY

The third annual meeting and banquet of the Delta Kappa Epsilon Association of Maine was held at the Augusta House last Wednesday evening. About eighty-five members were present including the alumni and delegations from the Bowdoin and Colby chapters.

Previous to the banquet a business session was held and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—

President, Hon. Franklin C. Payson, Theta '76;

First Vice-President, Hon. J. F. A. Merrill, Phi '89; Second Vice-President, Hon. Clarence Hall, Theta '69, and Secretary-Treasurer, Leon F. Timberlake, Theta '09.

The speakers at the banquet were: Chief Justice William P. Whitehouse of Augusta, Hon. Taber D. Bailey of Bangor, president of the Maine Senate, Hon. William Bonney of Bowdoinham, speaker of the Maine House of Representatives, Dean K. C. M. Sills, Professor W. S. Knowlton of Monson, ex-Mayor Blane S. Viles of Augusta, Gerald E. Leeds of Xi Chapter of Colby and Clarence Crosby '17 of Theta Chapter. During the evening music was furnished by the Colby College Novelty Orchestra.

### MEDICAL FRATERNITY SMOKERS

The Phi Chi medic fraternity held a smoker last Tuesday evening at the Kappa Sigma House. Besides the undergraduate members of the fraternity there were a number of other guests present including Doctors F. N. Whittier, W. E. Tobie and W. D. Anderson of Portland and Professors Copeland, Gross and Meserve. In addition there were some fifteen members of the student body.

The speaker of the evening, Doctor Tobie, gave a very interesting address on "The Practice of Medicine," and in connection with this subject he traced in a most interesting manner the history and development of the Maine Medical School.

Last Wednesday evening the Alpha Kappa Kappa held a smoker at the Theta Delta House, which was well attended by the members of the fraternity and a number of students, who had been invited. Dr. Lippincott read an article on "Medical Ethics," which was much appreciated. Then G. L. Cristy, medic '18, who spent three months at the Mexican border in a division of the U. S. Medical Corps, told many interesting accounts of his experiences.

### FINE ADDITIONS TO THE LIBRARY

One of the finest assortments of books that has been added to the library, in some time, has just arrived. There are several books in science, such as: "History of Paper Manufacture," by L. H. Weeks; "Foundations of Science," by W. C. Whetham; "Magnetism and Electricity," by J. Cook. Among those in history, are: "Austria-Hungary," by Diage Geoffrey; "Outlines of European History," by G. B. Smith; "Greece in Her True Light," by E. Venizelos; "Scotland," by R. L. Mackie; "The National History of France," during the Renaissance, in the 18th century, and



